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REPUBLICANS WIN IN POLK

ONE DEMOCRAT WINS CONTESTED TOWNSHIP OFFICE.

AGER LEAD IS SMALL

Elmer Young Loses for Trustee by 60 Votes.—Fewer Ballots Cast Than Two Years Ago.

Polk Winners

Fred Ager, trustee.
Emmett Bartram, collector.
George H. Meek, assessor.
L. E. Rogers and Emmett Scott, township board.
C. F. Childress, constable.

With the exception of the vote for assessor, Polk township went Republican at the township election held yesterday. For the second successive time, George H. Meek, Democrat, won out over John Z. Curnutt, Republican, for assessor. Yesterday his majority was 119 as compared to 265 two years ago. This will be Meek's third term.

Meek's vote for re-election yesterday was 962 and Curnutt's 843. Curnutt carried one ward, the third, in which he resides. Interest in the election yesterday was not so keen as two years ago when 2,437 votes were cast, as compared to 1,827 yesterday.

Republicans were swept into the other township offices by majorities from 60 to 424. Besides the contest for assessor, the collectorship position held especial interest. Emmett Bartram was re-elected to this office over his Democratic opponent, Amos Sprecher. Bartram's majority was 310. Bartram carried every precinct and had a total of 1,062, while Sprecher tallied 752.

Two years ago Bartram received a 517 majority over Mrs. Merle Cooper Smith.

Fred Ager and Elmer Young ran neck and neck for the office of trustee to succeed Burt M. Rowley. Ager, the Republican candidate, emerged winner by a majority of sixty, when he received a vote of 934 compared to Young's the Democratic candidate's vote, 874. Although Young was defeated, he ran first in the first and fourth ward. The Republican third ward proved Young's downfall, as Ager received 313 votes compared to Young's 177.

The township board for the next two years will be Republican. Emmett Scott was re-elected to the board with 1067 votes, receiving the second highest number of votes cast for any candidate yesterday. His majority over the highest Democrat candidate for the board, Al Kidder, was 224. L. E. Rogers, the other Republican candidate, was elected to the board to succeed Henry Heitman. Rogers' vote was 1,031.

Lee Birkenholz, Democrat, the fourth candidate for the board, received 665 votes.

C. F. Childress, Republican running for re-election for constable, scored the biggest majority on either ticket, when he polled 424 more votes than his Democratic opponent, Lloyd Heifner. Childress also received the highest number of votes cast of any of the candidates, getting 1,119. Heifner received 695.

While the two Republican candidates for justice of the peace, polled more votes than the Democratic candidates, three Democrats will be sworn into this office if they qualify, for the reason that only five candidates ran for the five positions to be filled. The Republicans, R. L. McDougal and J. H. Sayler, present justices, received 1,002 and 1,015 votes respectively.

The Democrats were given the following votes, W. A. Townsend, a present justice, 830; J. H. Thorp, 809; and M. J. Sherlock, 809.

Again the fourth ward, or precinct A, came through with the greatest number of votes, with 537; in the first ward 371 votes were polled, 421 in the second and 498 in the third.

Mines to Be Opened Near Montrose, Mo.

Montrose, Mo., March 30.—Mining operations will be commenced here April 1 by the Radio Coal Co., of Pittsburg, Kan. The Radio Company has leased 1,000 acres of coal land near Montrose and is bringing several large steam shovels for the mining operations.

Chinese Movement to Spread to Filipinos?

Island Leaders Predict Nationalist Success In Orient Will Stir Other National Aspirations.

Washington, March 30.—China's nationalists is spreading to the Philippines and stimulating an intensified campaign for island independence.

Filipino leaders here today expressed the conviction that the political ascendancy of the Cantonese nationalists will lead to a new balance of power in the Orient, counter-balancing Japan's previous superior political positions.

Pedro Guevara, resident commissioner of the Philippines, in the United States Congress, told the United Press the "national aspirations of the Filipino people have been stirred by the Chinese successes," adding that a campaign for independence from United States supervision will consequently result.

PARTY LINES DISREGARDED

"SPLIT" TICKETS THE RULE IN TOWNSHIP ELECTIONS.

WOMEN TRAIL TICKETS

Only One Feminine Candidate Wins Over Male Opponent.—Citizens' Ticket In Monroe.

Nodaway County voters lived up yesterday to the reputation they have established in recent years of paying little attention to party lines in local elections. Of the fifteen townships which elected officers yesterday, only three chose all from one party.

In Hopkins and Hughes townships, Republican strongholds, all the new officers are Republican. In Jefferson township, as preponderantly Democratic as the other two were Republican, there was no ticket to oppose the Democratic nominees.

Women candidates did not fare well in yesterday's voting. In several instances they ran far behind other candidates on the same ticket. Mrs. Frank Lincoln, collector of Grant township, was the only one to brave this evident antipathy and win over a male opponent. She was re-elected over Arden Swinford, Democrat, by 77 votes.

Mrs. Rosetta Klaas won the collectorship in Jefferson township, there being no opposition.

Lincoln towship also elected a woman collector, but in this case she had another woman for opponent. Mrs. Murrel Williamson, Democrat, the successful candidate, received 317 votes to 225 for Opal Bloomfield, Republican.

In White Cloud, Mrs. Vern Williams of Arkoe, running as the Republican candidate for collector, was defeated by J. O. Bolin, present incumbent, by 90 votes.

In Nodaway township Mrs. Mary Cole, Republican, lost in her race for collector, getting 248 votes to 298 for James Weable, Democrat.

In Atchison township, Mrs. Golda Smith, a Democrat, got but 120 votes for collector, while Elmer Matlock, her Republican opponent, had 287.

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POLK TOWNSHIP ELECTION VOTE
(Unofficial).

	First Ward Precinct D	Second Ward Precinct C	Third Ward Precinct B	Fourth Ward Precinct A	Total	Majority
TRUSTEE—						
Fred Ager (R)	168	229	313	224	934	60
Elmer Young (D)	196	191	177	310	874	
COLLECTOR—						
Emmett Bartram (R)	194	234	331	303	1062	310
Amos Sprecher (D)	172	184	159	237	752	
ASSESSOR—						
J. Z. Curnutt (R)	172	166	271	234	843	
Geo. H. Meek (D)	194	251	218	299	962	119
TOWNSHIP BOARD—						
L. E. Rogers (R)	205	222	315	289	1031	366
E. F. Scott (R)	206	245	343	273	1067	224
Lee Birkenholz (D)	149	171	130	215	665	
Al Kidder (D)	173	198	177	295	843	
CONSTABLE—						
C. F. Childress (R)	229	253	315	322	1119	424
Lloyd Heifner (D)	140	168	175	212	695	
JUSTICE OF PEACE—						
R. L. McDougal (R)	190	208	319	285	1002	
J. H. Sayler (R)	196	214	323	282	1015	
W. A. Townsend (D)	180	216	174	260	830	
J. H. Thorp (D)	175	203	168	263	809	
M. J. Sherlock (D)	175	204	173	257	809	
C. E. Barnett				1		
TOTAL VOTE	371	421	498	537	1827	

DEBATE TEAM TO NEBRASKA

COLLEGE PAIR LEAVES TOMORROW FOR THREE MATCHES.

ARGUE FARM QUESTION

Burdette Yeo and Fred Street to Represent Maryville Against Cotner, York and Kearney.

The negative debating team at the State Teachers College will leave Maryville tomorrow morning for a road trip into Nebraska which will include debates on the McNary-Haugen bill with colleges of that state. The first debate will be tomorrow night against the affirmative team of Cotner College, Bethany, Neb. On Friday night the York College team of York, Neb., will be met, and on Saturday night the Maryville debaters will meet the team from Kearney, Neb. State Teachers College.

Burdette Yeo and Fred Street will be the Maryville debaters. They will be accompanied on the trip by Miss Violet M. Eastman, public speaking instructor and debate coach at the College.

The debate tomorrow night will be the third this year for the Maryville team on the negative side of the McNary-Haugen question. Last week the two Maryville debaters, together with Byron Beavers, won a victory at Peru, Neb., over the Peru Normal, and the week before, the debaters from Central College, Fayette, were defeated in a debate here.

The next home debate will take place a week from tomorrow afternoon, when the College affirmative team, composed of Byron Beavers, Clarence Bush and Burdette Yeo, will meet the negative team from Omaha University. The McNary-Haugen question again will be argued, and the winner of this debate will be champion of the Missouri-Nebraska league, composed of the College here, Omaha University, Peru, and Tarkio College.

Miss Eastman said today that there are a number of other debates which may be scheduled for April or early May, but that nothing definite would be done until the Maryville team returns from its Nebraska invasion this week.

Mrs. Ralph Scott Heads Graham P. T. A.

Program At High School Is Well Presented; Good Crowd At Meeting.

Mrs. Ralph Scott is the new president of the Graham Parent-Teacher Association elected at the meeting of the association held at the high school building in Graham last night. Mrs. Wood Mowry was re-elected vice-president and Mrs. F. P. Fleming was re-elected secretary. Mrs. John Geyer is the new treasurer. The superintendent of school, Charles Wallace, was elected second vice-president, as is the custom of the chapter to elect the superintendent to this office.

A good crowd attended the meeting last night and the program was well presented.

C. of C. Dinner at 1st Christian Church

Ladies Aid Society To Serve At Annual Affair.—Asks Presence Of Every Member.

The annual dinner and meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held at the Christian Church on next Tuesday evening, C. F. Remus, president, announced today. The dinner will be served by the Ladies Aid Society of that church.

After hearing the report of D. A. Caldwell, secretary, about the work of the organization for the past year, and the election of three directors, several short talks will be made by members.

The menu for the dinner follows: Fruit cocktail, roast pork, dressing, perfection salad, green beans, mashed potatoes, coffee, hot rolls, jelly, deviled eggs, pie al mode.

It is hoped every member of the organization will attend at the annual meeting.

SCHOOL MASS MEETING SET

VOTERS OF DISTRICT TO SELECT CANDIDATES FRIDAY NIGHT.

THREE TERMS EXPIRE

L. C. Cook, Bruce Montgomery and Fred H. French Are Retiring Directors.—Election Next Week.

A mass meeting of the voters of the Maryville school district will be held at 7:30 o'clock Friday night, at the court house, for the purpose of selecting three candidates, for members of the school board. The terms of L. C. Cook, Bruce Montgomery and Fred H. French, as directors, expire at this time. Mr. French will not be a candidate, as he is prohibited from seeking an elective office on account of the civil service rules of the postoffice department.

A proposition to change the boundary line of the Maryville school district will come up at the school election next Tuesday. The proposed change would take 400 acres of land belonging to Sherman Pierpoint and Henry Wells out of the district and would put this territory in the Council Corner district.

The school election is to be held at the same time and with the same polling places as the final city election Tuesday of next week.

Miss Anna Painter to Speak at St. Joseph

Member of College Faculty Will Tell Teachers of Life in Foreign Universities.

Miss Anna M. Painter, chairman of the English department at the State Teachers College, will speak before the school teachers of St. Joseph at a meeting at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Miss Painter will talk for an hour on "Glimpses of Foreign Universities."

A distinct honor was bestowed on Miss Painter when she was asked to speak before the St. Joseph teachers. The meetings in St. Joseph are quite important, and Miss Painter is the first woman to be asked to speak at one of them. Usually speakers from large cities and universities have been chosen.

The College faculty member will divide her talk into two parts. She will first give a general comparison of American school life and curriculum and that of foreign schools, and then she will give a few glimpses of school life in Italy and at the Sorbonne, a division of the University of Paris. Miss Painter will discuss scholarship, student life, and preparation for degrees in the foreign schools.

She will go to St. Joseph Saturday morning and return that night.

81 Auto Licenses Tuesday; Total 4,859

Automobile license applications came nearer the 5,000 mark yesterday, when 81 sets of the 1927 state automobile plates were issued at the Maryville Chamber of Commerce. The total at the close of business yesterday was 4,859, which was 243 behind the corresponding period last year. With tomorrow set as the deadline by county officers, however, license applications today and tomorrow were expected to overcome that lead.

MANY BILLS DUE TO DIE

ASSEMBLY EXPECTED TO CLOSE FRIDAY OR SATURDAY.

CALENDARS CROWDED

Steps Taken to Defeat Appointment of A. S. Phillips as Chairman of Workman's Commission.

Jefferson City, March 30.—With the current session of the state legislature drawing to a close, many bills are due to die without consideration, leaders of both houses admitted today.

Appropriation bills which were passed by the senate with amendments are being held up in the committee room. The calendars of both houses and the committee tables are crowded with measures which probably will not be considered.

More than thirty salary bills and the police home rule bill are being held up.

Adjournment is scheduled for Friday or Saturday if house and senate committees can agree on amendments to appropriation bills so they can be put before the houses.

Leave for Homes.

Meanwhile preparations for departing for their homes are being made by hundreds of members and employes, who have been here for the last twelve weeks.

Only a few of the big army of clerks and stenographers who have been here for temporary employment during the session will remain after the final adjournment. These few will be kept at work completing the records to turn over to the printing department.

Hundreds of others, mainly lobbyists, who have been here during the session, already have departed as their work has been finished.

May Reject Phillips.

Jefferson City, March 30.—Members of the senate judiciary committee who are opposed to Alroy S. Phillips, as chairman of the workman's compensation took the first step today to defeat his appointment.

His appointment was reported out without recommendation and the senate is expected to reject him.

Added Equipment for Fire Trucks Arrives

New Extension Ladder and 1,650 Feet of Two-Inch Hose Included in Material.

Additional equipment which arrived this week for the fire department, was placed on the trucks yesterday and today, Mayor W. O. Garrett said.

Sixteen hundred and fifty feet of two-inch fire hose was included in the new equipment, of which 1,250 goes on the large chemical truck and 400 feet on the hose truck.

A 30-foot extension ladder will take the place of a 20-foot ladder as equipment on the larger truck and the shorter ladder will be carried on the hose truck.

New tires and tubes were placed on the big truck.

Maryville Without Lights Early Today

The burning out of a transformer at Clarinda, Ia., this morning caused the discontinuance of electric service by the Maryville Electric and Power Company from 5:30 o'clock to about 6 o'clock this morning.

TRY THE NEXT ONE.

Answers on Page 7.

1. In the population of Hawaii what race is most numerous?
2. What famous American author began his literary work in jail?
3. During the Great War what famous commander won recognition at the battle of the Masurian Lakes?
4. Give within 10,000,000 the population of India.
5. With what three countries has Japan fought wars during modern times?
6. Among South African cities which is larger, Capetown or Johannesburg?
7. Name the President of France?
8. What British cabinet minister was mysteriously drowned during the Great War?
9. What famous comet sighted last in April, 1910, comes every 76.8 years?
10. Who is the American ambassador to Germany?

Mrs. Kip Rhinelander to Bring Suit Herself

Scion Of "400," Defeated In Efforts To Annul Marriage, To Be Sued By Part-Negro Bride.

New Rochelle, N. Y., March 30.—Mrs. Leonard Kip Rhinelander, having successfully resisted through three courts her husband's attempt to annul their marriage, today was planning to take the initiative and sue for separation on grounds of abandonment.

Mrs. Rhinelander, the daughter of a negro taxicab driver, said she had withheld her action until the highest court in the state had upheld her victory. That was done yesterday.

She probably will ask for alimony of more than $300 a month, the sum she has been receiving since annulment proceedings began.

FORD'S AUTO OVER A BANK

BILLIONAIRE MANUFACTURER IN HIS OWN HOSPITAL.

A MINOR OPERATION

Other Comment On Injuries Is Refused.—Another Car Crowds His Off Drive Sunday Night.

Detroit, March 30.—Henry Ford, the richest man in the world, is in his own hospital here, the victim of an automobile accident.

Returning Sunday night along Michigan boulevard, near the River Rouge bridge, and not far from his estate, an automobile driven by someone whose name, if it is known, has thus far been withheld, crowded the billionaire and his $500 Ford Coupe over an embankment.

The car toppled, rolled and slid some twenty feet until it struck a tree. Ford was knocked unconscious. He recovered consciousness and walked a short distance to where he met the gatekeeper of his estate, who summoned Mrs. Ford, and the two took Ford to his home.

News of the accident was withheld but last night it was found necessary to remove him in an ambulance to the hospital.

"There has been a minor operation," a formal statement said.

At 12:30 p. m. today, Ford was pronounced resting easily with no serious complications expected.

No information as to the exact nature of Ford's injuries was given out and many reports went around. The most general of these were that his back was hurt, ribs injured and he had been painfully bruised.

'Peaches" Browning Gets a New Setback

Night Club Proprietor Changes Mind, Won't Have Her As Hostess-Dancer.

Pittsburgh, March 30.—"Peaches" Browning received another setback today when Charles Lazaro, proprietor of a night club here, announced that the wife of Edward West Browning of New York would not appear as hostess and dancer next week.

He had previously announced Mrs. Browning, whose husband recently was granted a decree of separation in New York, would appear "regardless of the attitude of the police or the public." He refused to reveal the reason for his change in plan.

Albania Mobilizes Men, 22 to 33, Report

Berlin, March 30.—A dispatch from Belgrade today quoted Hasilius Calucci, former Albanian governor of Valona, as saying that the male population of Albania between the ages of 22 and 33 had been mobilized, and that terror reigned in the country.

Two Kansas City, Kas. Banks to Be Merged

Kansas City, Kan., March 30. — The Commercial National Bank and the Commercial State Bank will be merged May 1 into one institution to be known as the Commercial National Bank of Kansas City, it was announced today.

The new institution will have deposits of $9,500,000 and capital and surplus of $1,000,000.

Undergoes Operation.

Earl Lewis, about 16 years old, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the St. Francis Hospital this morning. He formerly was an employe at Green Brothers restaurant.

ANTI-BRITISH STRIKE LIKELY

CHINESE ACCUSE ENGLAND OF "DELIBERATE PROVOCATION."

MISSIONARIES TO STAY

Many Refugee Americans Move From Southern Shantung—Fear Anti-Foreign Agitation.

Peking, March 30.—Charges that British authorities at Shanghai are pursuing a policy of "deliberate provocation" were made today in a telegram from the nationalist news agency in that city to the United Press here.

"Continuous heavy propaganda by the British press" also was charged by the agency.

Shanghai, March 30.—Another general strike similar to that which caused trouble several weeks ago tonight seems likely to be called in Shanghai soon. It was learned from a reliable source that the general labor union leaders had decided to call a general strike aimed solely at British industries.

Won't Stop Missionary Work.

New York, March 30.—American missionary organizations will stand by their comrades in China and will not abandon missionary work because of disturbances in the Yangtze valley, A. L. Wainshuis, secretary of the foreign missions conference, said today.

Fear Anti Foreign Agitation

Shanghai, March 30.—Alarm at the growth of the anti-foreign agitation in Nationalist China has spread northward to districts threatened by the Cantonese advance. Refugees, most of them Americans, are moving out of Southern Shantung, Anhwei and Southern Honan provinces.

Advices from Chefoo, Shantung, say all the American missionaries in Eastern Shantung are on their way either to Tsingtao, on the southeast coast, or to that city. Their exodus was caused by the uncertain future of the province and the events at Nanking and other Nationalist controlled cities.

The Japanese consul, who arrived today from Nanking where he had a narrow escape from death last week, said armed women Communists led the Cantonese soldiers who looted the Japanese consulate. The consul agreed with other reports made here by refugees that the looting and outrages were carried on systematically with the apparent object of inflaming anti-foreign feeling.

350 Trapped in Mine Following Explosion

Blast Occurs in Pennsylvania—Small Hope for Recovery of Eight Others From Illinois Mine.

Johnstown, Pa., March 30.—Three hundred fifty men were trapped in the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Company's mine at Ehrenfeld, about fifteen miles east of Johnstown, in an explosion at noon today.

The explosion blew up the mine office and wrecked the mouth of the opening, leaving little hope for the men inside.

Eight Entombed In Illinois.

Harrisburg, Ill., March 30.—Little hope was held out by rescue workers today for recovery alive of eight miners entombed by a gas explosion in the steel tipple mine of the Saline County Coal Corporation at Ledford, five miles south of here.

World Powers Agree on Limiting Troops

Tentative Scheme Reached For Total Number of Soldiers Which Could Be Used for Aggression.

Geneva, March 30.—Britain, France, Italy and Belgium, as the world's principal colonial powers today tentatively agreed on a scheme to limit the number of home and colonial troops to be maintained by them.

The object of the formula tentatively agreed upon is to limit the total number of troops stationed in any country which could be used for sudden aggression.

Weather

Mostly cloudy tonight and Thursday with probable showers tomorrow; temperature moderate.

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THE ONLY DAILY PAPER IN NODAWAY COUNTY.

A HOUSE LOAN.

The experience of Otto Szant of West Orange, N. J., may be illuminating to some people who have had difficulty in their financial enterprises.

Otto is 12 years old. He appeared at a window in the West Orange Trust Company and asked the cashier to open his little savings bank. The cashier did so, and informed the lad that the contents amounted to $3.29.

"Hm! That's just about what I thought," observed Otto, in deed meditation.

"Want to start an account?" asked the enterprising cashier.

"No, I want to buy something, but what I want'll cost $5. How about a loan of $2 from the bank?"

The cashier gasped, then took Otto into the president's office and introduced him as a prospective customer. Otto never batted an eye, and promptly stated his need of $2. The president asked him what he wanted it for.

"You see," explained Otto, "I got a dog that's the best dog in the world, but they won't let me keep him in the house. Now, I could build a dog house for him, but it wouldn't be much good for bad weather. I can get just the kind of house he needs, though, ready-built, for $5. I got $3 and want to borrow the other two."

"That sounds reasonable enough, observed the bank president. "But how about paying it back?"

"Sure! I'll sign a note, and pay 6 per cent interest," said Otto. "Then I'm going to get a job working after school, and I can pay it back soon."

"Make out a three-months note for this young man," directed the president, "for $2 at 6 per cent. Security is initiative, confidence and personality."

And this is how the best dog in the world got his new house.

STERLIZING ITALY.

The Italian Parliament, under Mussolini's dictatorship, is considering what is said to be the most drastic censorship law in the world's history.

Everything political, journalistic, literary, dramatic and artistic is to be 100 per cent pure. Nothing in public life that disagrees with Fascism will be permitted. The ministry of the interior and the provincial police are to have authority over newspapers, theaters, movies, books, paintings, phonograph records and advertisements. It will be a great drive against "pornography and sedition."

Italy, no doubt, can stand quite a little clamping down of the lid on pornography, especially in southern cities like Naples, where vice of many kinds has long flourished to an appalling degree. More power to Mussolini in that venture! Sedition is another matter, too easily confused with mere difference of political thinking in a regime like the present one. Most outsiders, and many insiders, will not agree that political purity means 100 per cent Fascism.

Even in the other realms where the censorship is to be applied, it may be sadly overdone. Italy has been a great country, as great as any in the world in many departments of human life, and especially great in the arts and sciences. What would have happened if such a system of control as is now proposed had existed during the Italian renaissance? Would there have been any Michaelangelos or Leonardo da Vincis or Benvenuto Cellinis, or any Dantes or Boccaccios or Tassos, if there had been political censors to scrub, cut, denature and sterilize everything they did?

Too much sterlization means sterlity.

Miss Lanta Moberly was taken to St. Francis Hospital Monday afternoon to undergo treatment for mastoid trouble.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"I'm afraid Mamma won't like it much, but I put on a good tire patch where my pants got tore."

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Rates on Livestock Are Held Reasonable

Interstate Commerce Committee Upholds Schedules From Oklahoma and Texas to Missouri.

Washington, March 30.—Acting on complaint of the American National Livestock Association and allied organizations, the Interstate Commerce Commission today held reasonable carload livestock rates between points in the territory served by Western and Mountain-Pacific group carriers, including Illinois and Wisconsin.

Similar rates on stock cattle from points in Oklahoma and Texas to Missouri river cities and points in Missouri, Iowa and Nebraska also were declared reasonable. Rates on cattle from points in Texas to joints in Kansas were found not unreasonable, discriminatory nor prejudicial.

Victim of Freight Train Is Identified

Man Struck Near Birmingham a Hermit, Little Known and Seldom Leaving Woods.

Kearney, Mo., March 30.—The man who was struck and instantly killed by a Wabash freight train near Birmingham has been identified as William Odell, 60, a hermit, who has been living in the woods between Holt and Kearney for the past year.

Nothing is known of Odell's past life. He lived in the timber and only came to town to get groceries or tobacco once or twice a week. He was fond of trapping and hunting and made his living selling furs.

Announce Birth of Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lawrence announce the birth of a son last night at St. Francis Hospital. Mrs. Lawrence was formerly Miss Alyce Allen.

Home for Easter Vacation.

Miss Virginia Curfman will come tomorrow morning from Lindenwood College at St. Charles, Mo., to spend the spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Curfman.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Pixler Sunday were Misses Florence and Rachel Rowlett and Chet Crockett of Maitland, and Roy Gaddy of Graham.

BARBS

THOUGHTS ON TOIL

Only 38 out of every 100 Americans work for a living, statisticians reveal. What! 71,300,000 bootleggers! . . . The figures may be misleading, though. Among the 62 who don't work for a living there should be listed several Pullman porters and press agents, who only go through the motions. . . . The percentage of workers used to be larger. That was before so many people took to the water for a living. . . . There's one man, however, we are sure works for a livelihood,—he follows the Prince of Wales around and counts how many times he falls off his horse.

It is a quaint and curious fact that all the bunkers are not on golf courses.

The new Pullman sleeping cars have "passenger bedrooms." Is this a device whereby the Pullman company hopes to lower the cost of travel?

A Connecticut professor spends his spare time on street corners in New York and London taking notes on people and things. We wonder how many bets he has been offered on the ponies.

The ten chief causes of crime were named by a New York crime commissioner the other day. However, the commissioner overlooked the man who tells you he takes a cold bath every morning.

A financier has set aside a fund to combat sleeping sickness. Now if another rich man would just come along with an appropriation to find out why nobody sleeps any more.

31c -:- SALE -:- 31c

Tomorrow, March 31st, we will hold a 31c Sale. Be sure to read this great list of 31c bargains. ONE DAY ONLY.

Plain Gingham
Your choice of our regular 25c and 29c plain colored Gingham in most any color you could desire, will be 1½ yards only 31c

36 Inch Nainsook
An excellent quality 36 inch Nainsook, very special, 2 yards only 31c

Silk Slips
One assortment of silk princess slips, made of fine quality Radium and fine quality knitted Rayon, very special only $3.31

Ladies' Unionsuits
One lot of ladies' unionsuits, made of fine knitted yarn, ribbed, low neck, knee length, extra-ordinary bargain, each only 31c

Winsor Crepe
A wonderful material in all the dainty plain colors used so extensively for underwear, nightgowns, etc., will be 2 yards only 31c

Rubber Aprons
One big assortment of beautiful fine quality large size rubber aprons will be each only 31c

Georgette Crepe
For tomorrow only, our excellent quality 40 inch all silk georgette crepe will be per yard only $1.31

Face Powder
One lot of our regular 50c face powder, a great many of nationally known brand, tomorrow only 31c

Table Oil Cloth
The very best quality of either white or colored table oilcloth will be 1¼ yards only 31c

Blue Denim
An extra good quality of heavy weight blue denim, 1¼ yards only 31c

Cretonne
One big lot of cretonne selected from our regular stock, worth 50c and 60c per yard, now only yd. 31c

Silk Hose
An extra quality in ladies' Rayon silk hose, in all the season's newest colors, a real bargain now only per pair 31c

Colored Linno
This is a beautiful highly mercerized material used so extensively for all kinds of sport dresses, absolutely fast color, now per yard only 31c

Beach Cloth
This beautiful suiting absolutely fast color in all the plain shades, now per yard only 31c

Cheese Cloth
36 inch, excellent quality fast colored, full bleached, will be 5 yards only 31c

Silkoline
The very best quality silkoline, 36 inches wide, tomorrow only, 2 yards only 31c

Peggy Prints
This is a beautiful broadcloth finished material 32 inches wide, all the new patterns, tomorrow only will be 1⅓ yards only 31c

Dorothy Prints
This is a beautiful fast colored print, in all the new dainty patterns, now per yard only 31c

Wm. Anderson's Prints
These are the very finest quality prints made, absolutely fast color, now ¾ yard only 31c

A. C. A. Ticking
The very best quality feather bed ticking, the kind that will hold feathers, now 1¼ yards only 31c

Middy Twill
36 inch pure white middy twill, an excellent quality, now 1¼ yards only 31c

3 Pound Cotton Batts
This is an excellent quality cotton batt, stitched to keep it from pulling apart, opens up into one large sheet, 72x90 inches, tomorrow only will be 2 batts only $1.31

Queen Satin
This is a 36 inch material, half cotton and half silk, washable, in all the popular shades and one of the best materials for slips, bloomers, linings, etc., ⅓ yard for 31c

Underwear Material
One lot of fine underwear materials, made in all the very popular dainty colors, a real bargain, now per yard only 31c

Bedspreads
One assortment of fine colored bedspreads, crinkled, a real bargain, now each only $2.31

54 Inch Table Padding
An extra heavy felt table padding, now ⅓ yard only 31c

54 Inch Table Padding
54 inch quilted table padding, pure white, an extra heavy quality, now per yard only $1.31

Haines
The Biggest Little Store in the United States.

40 Inch Wagon Canvas
The very best quality of 40 inch wagon canvas, ten ounce, per yard only 31c

27 Inch Outing Flannel
A real bargain in 27 inch pure white outing flannel, a good weight, will be 2 yards only 31c

Coats' Thread
The very best spool cotton thread on the market will be 3 spools for 10c—or 10 spools for 31c

Kid Gloves
Our very finest quality, newest style of the famous Perrin kid gloves, worth up to $4.75 will be sold tomorrow at per pair only $3.31

Chamoisette Gloves
Our very finest quality of chamoisette gloves, all the newest colors and styles, the regular $1.50 and $2.00 value, tomorrow only $1.31

Silk Gloves
The famous Kayser double finger-tip silk gloves, regular $1.65 quality, tomorrow only per pair $1.31

Tooth Paste
The very popular tooth paste, such as Pebeco, Pepsodent, etc., per tube only 31c

Nodland Sheeting
A good quality full bleached 9-4 wide sheeting, tomorrow only, per yard 31c

45c Nainsook
This very fine quality 45c nainsook, real bargain now, per yard only 31c

Crochet Cotton
Klostersilk or Clark's O. N. T. crochet cotton in either white or colors will be 4 for 31c

Crepe De Chine
Very fine quality 40 inch all silk crepe de chine in most any color you could desire, tomorrow only, per yard $1.31

36 Inch Outing Flannel
Extra fine quality 36 inch outing, a large range of both dark and light colors, will be 2 yards only 31c

Terry Cloth
A large collection of patterns in this popular curtain material, 36 inches wide, now per ½ yard only 31c

Fancy Bath Towels
Extra large size in a heavy weight fine quality bath towel with beautiful colored border, a regular $1.00 value will be 3 towels for $1.31

Pillow Tubing
A very fine quality full bleached linen finish pillow tubing, 36 inches wide, will be 1¼ yards only 31c

Stevens' Crash
This well known brand of all linen crash in bleached or unbleached, regular 35c quality will be 1¼ yards only 31c

Curtain Nets
One lot of regular 50c and 60c values of curtain nets will be sold tomorrow per yard only 31c

Tricollette
54 inch tricollette made especially for princess slips; this is made tubular and all you need to do is to buy the length and put on shoulder straps, very special tomorrow only $1.31

30 Inch Cotton Flannel
30 inch cotton flannel full bleached, is just the proper width for diapers, excellent quality, now 1½ yards only 31c

Toweling
Absolutely all linen crash and also extra heavy weight half linen crash, both are very special values for tomorrow's sale at 2 yards only 31c

Children's Silk Hose
One lot of fine quality children's ribbed silk hose in black and brown, regular $1.00 values will be closed out per pair only 31c

Japanese Crepe
This very popular plain colored crepe in a good assortment of colors, 33 inches wide will be two yards only 31c

Tooth Brushes
The very famous rubberset or Prophylactic tooth brushes, now each only 31c

Daisy Muslin
This is one of the finest quality full bleached muslins on the market and is known by every housekeeper, will be two yards only 31c

Butychyne
This beautiful self-stripe material used so extensively for bloomers, linings, slips, etc., tomorrow ¾ yard only 31c

Percale
The very best standard quality percale in a large range of both light and dark colors will be two yards only 31c

Sateen
Excellent quality in fine mercerized sateen, 36 inches wide, most any color you could desire, 1¼ yards only 31c

All Wool Serge
36 inch absolutely all wool serge in black, navy, green, red or tan, now ½ yard only 31c

36 Inch Rayon
This beautiful popular dress material that looks like pure silk in a large range of plain colors, very special now ⅓ yard only 31c

Bath Towels
An extra large size plain white bath towel, regular 50c value each only 31c

40 Inch Muslin
Our very fine quality of 40 inch unbleached muslin, 2 widths make a full width sheet, tomorrow, 2 yards only 31c

Gingham
One assortment of 32 inch fast colored gingham, all the wanted styles, 2 yards for 31c

Listerine
Three bottles of the regular 50c size of Listerine will be only $1.31

Body Talcum
Full one pound can of body talcum powder in a beautiful lithograph tin can with a large puff, per can only 31c

81x90 Sheets
This good large size seamless full bleached bed sheet, fine quality, free from starch now three sheets for only $2.31

Night Gowns
Excellent quality ladies' fine nainsook nightgowns, beautifully embroidered also Philippine hand-made gowns will be three gowns for $2.31

Phoenix Hose
Phoenix Hose in excellent quality that have always sold for $1.85 in all the popular colors including black, tomorrow only, per pair $1.31

Dresses
One big lot of ladies' silk dresses, all the newest styles in all sizes in the season's most popular colors a real bargain now each only $9.31

Pillows
A good large size bed pillow covered with excellent quality of ticking and good quality of feathers, 3 pillows now for only $2.31

Unbleached Muslin
An excellent quality of 36 inch unbleached muslin, a real bargain now 4 yards only 31c

Radium Silk
This silk is so popular for bloomers, slips, and all kinds of underwear, all colors, 36 inches wide, 82c per yard, on ⅔ yard only 31c

Cotton Broadcloth
This beautiful highly mercerized cotton broadcloth in all the plain colors, or fancy stripes, ¾ yard only 31c

Challies
The very best quality of comfort challies in almost an endless variety of patterns to select from, now 2 yards only 31c

Mirroline
This is a beautiful cotton satin finish charmeuse, regular 75c value, very popular for linings, slips, bloomers, etc., now ½ yard only 31c

Jersey Tubing
36 inch Rayon silk jersey tubing which is so popular for bloomers, vests, etc., in all the light shades, now only ½ yard 31c

Peter Pan Gingham
Plain colored Peter Pan fast colored gingham, regular 50c value, very special now, ¾ yard only 31c

Bed Comforts
An excellent quality in a large size silkoline covered bed comfort will be closed out now each only $2.31

Pongee
The very best quality of twelve momme Japanese Pongee in natural color, 33 inches wide, ½ yard only 31c

Cheviot Shirting
An excellent quality of cheviot shirting in plain blue or stripe patterns, 2 yards only 31c

58 Inch Damask
Here is a real bargain in a beautiful mercerized pure white table damask, ¾ yard only 31c

Mercerized Table Damask
An excellent quality in a beautiful mercerized table damask, pure white with four inch colored border, a real bargain now, ½ yard only 31c

72 Inch Damask
72 inch mercerized table damask in several patterns to select from, pure white, now ½ yard only 31c

Ladies' Handbags
The very newest styles in ladies' handbags, in extra fine quality, $4.50 to $6.00 bags, very special for tomorrow's selling, will be each only $3.31

Kotex
This famous sanitary napkin, only 40c dozen or ¾ dozen 31c

Haines
The Biggest Little Store in the United States.

SOCIETY

W. N. Club.

An all-day meeting of the W. N. Club was held Thursday at the home of Mrs. Robert Dew. Dinner was served cafeteria style, and the rest of the day was spent in quilting. In answer to roll call, the members gave jokes. The following members and visitors were present: Mrs. Emma Shields, Mrs. Susan Hayes, Mrs. Nancy Cooper, Mrs. Irvin Peery, Mrs. Johnnie Cooper, Mrs. Amos Hayes, Mrs. George Staten, Mrs. George Sexson, Mrs. Joe Lynch, Miss Clyda Shields, Mrs. Sam Bays and daughters, Beverly and Bonnie, Mrs. Everett Griffey and son, Kenneth, Mrs. Mark Fisher, Mrs. Guy Fisher and son, Jack, and Mrs. Dale Carver and daughter, Darlene. The next meeting will be April 7 at the home of Mrs. Sam Culver with Mrs. Robert Dew as leader.

Bridge Party at Country Club.

Mrs. M. A. Peery, Mrs. J. Arthur Noid, Mrs. Jesse Miller and Mrs. Kenneth Fordyce have sent out invitations for a bridge party, which they will give Saturday afternoon at the Country Club.

To McIntyre-Waggoner Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Waggoner drove to Oregon this morning to attend the wedding at 6 o'clock this evening of Mr. Waggoner's brother, Otis Waggoner of St. Joseph, and Miss Fay McIntyre. A reception will follow the ceremony which will be performed at the home of the bride's parents near Oregon.

M. I. Circle.

The Mutual Improvement Circle held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. I. E. Tulloch. The devotions were led by the hostess, and in answer to roll call the members gave current events. The following topics, the third of a series on South America, were discussed: "Education and Religion," Mrs. Vada Helley; "Chile," Mrs. J. D. Ford; "Rivers and Mountain Ranges", Mrs. Virgil Hartness; and "Cities and Towns," Mrs. J. P. Price. Accompanied by Mrs. Tulloch, Mrs. Floyd Ambrose sang a solo. Mrs. G. J. Moore will be hostess at the next meeting April 12 when the study of South America will be concluded.

Farewell Reception.

Members of the First Methodist Church gave a farewell reception last night from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock in the church parlors for Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James, who leave this week for their new home in Cameron. The heads of various departments of the church and Sunday School formed the receiving line and acted as hosts. They were C. C. Corwin and H. E. Wright of the official board, J. W. Hake, Sunday School superintendent, Mrs. W. W. Stanfield, president of the Ladies Aid Society, Mrs. G. J. Moore, acting president of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Mrs. S. J. Donahue of the Evening Auxiliary, and Mrs. W. S. Frankum of the Wesleyan Bible class.

Walter Allen, representing the Hi-Y, presented Dr. James with a military brush and comb set. Dr. James is chairman of the Hi-Y board. Accompanied by Mrs. Neal, Paul Neal sang "Triest Ritorno" by Barthelemy and "My Heart is a Swift Horseman" (Lohr). Mrs. Audrey Stiwalt, accompanied by Miss Hettie Mae Woodward, played two violin selections: "Scherzo-Tarantelle" (Wieniawski) and "The Poem." E. M. Houchens, on behalf of the young people's department of the Sunday School, presented Dr. James with a Gladstone traveling bag. A receipt for payment of a chair was given to Dr. James by J. P. Price, as a remembrance from friends of Dr. and Mrs. James. Mrs. Emmett F. Scott sang "A Poor Man's Garden" by Russell and "Because I Love You Dear" (Hawley). The piano accompaniments were played by Mrs. J. W. Hake. The Rev. Guy L. Prather, pastor of the Baptist Church, gave a short talk on behalf of the Ministerial Alliance.

Two cello solos, "Song of India" (Rimsky Korsakow) and "Finale of Goltermann's 5th Concerto in D Minor," were played by Mrs. Paul Neal, accompanied by Mrs. Hake. A trio composed of Miss Gertrude Wray, Miss Verneta Moore and Lawrence Wray gave several musical selections.

Mrs. Edward Gray, on behalf of the Maryville Chapter, D. A. R., presented Mrs. James with a bouquet of roses and sweet peas, and members of the Epworth, Dorcas and Wesleyan Bible classes presented her with a linen tablecloth.

Punch was served by the Standard Bearer and Queen Esther girls, assisted by Miss Emma Hull and Mrs. C. R. Gaugh. The church parlors were attractively decorated with a profusion of ferns. Dr. and Mrs. James were given a leather bound booklet containing the names of the reception guests, numbering about 175. The guests included, besides church members, friends from the other churches and the College. Miss Lillian James, daughter of the honor guests, came from St. Joseph to be present at the affair. The musical program was in charge of Mrs. Bernhardt Bronson.

Circle No. 2.

Circle No. 2 of the Baptist Church will meet at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Louisa L. Catterson on North Main street. At 6:30 o'clock there will be a luncheon for all Circle members, their families, and friends.

Surprise Mrs. Condon.

A surprise in observance of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. B. E. Condon, teacher of the first grade at the Garfield school, was given yesterday afternoon after school by the mothers of the pupils. The birthday cake was decorated with candles and ice cream was also served. Mrs. Condon was presented with a beautiful scarf, as a token of appreciation for her services, from the mothers. The guests included Mrs. Charles Forsyth, Mrs. George Ray, Mrs. Joel Trullinger, Mrs. B. L. Wray, Mrs. George Fred Davis, Mrs. Alfred Walton, Mrs. J. C. Davis, Mrs. Hugh Strong, Mrs. Martin Hartman, Mrs. J. E. Moore, Mrs. D. A. Kingery, Mrs. G. W. Lamber, Mrs. A. T. Estes, Mrs. Kenney Tebow and son, Billy, Mrs. Roy J. Curfman, Mrs. Leon J. Cannon and children, Betty Jo and Leon, Mrs. N. H. Brown and daughter, Mary Ruth, Mrs. Harry Clayton, Mrs. J. E. Coffey, Mrs. Jimmie Miller and daughter, Beverly Ann, Mrs. E. T. Dale, Mrs. James Carpenter and Mrs. Kyle Phares.

Misses Mariel Williams and Lois Dayhoff of Cameron, and Louie Fries of Maitland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. Lyle last week.

Flight of an Army in China

Before the victorious rush of the Cantonese forces, the armies of North China quickly melted away. Here is pictured the flight of a Chinese regiment along the road near Hangchow. A great hole where the road was shelled is shown in the center of the picture.

Menus for the Family

By SISTER MARY

BREAKFAST — Sliced oranges, cereal, cream, crisp broiled bacon, soft cooked eggs, whole wheat toast, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON—Ramikins of chicken and rice, bran rolls, jellied pineapple salad, cheese cups, milk, tea.

DINNER—Chicken soup, croutons, breaded veal cutlets, new potatoes in cream sauce, spinach and mushrooms, pear salad, frozen fig custard, graham rolls, milk, coffee.

The luncheon and dinner menus are planned to help the hostess entertaining a week-end guest. If the guest arrives for the Saturday luncheon, the ramikins of chicken, rolls, and some of the "company" conserve (jellied salad with cheese cups) will mean a minimum of work for the hostess just at the last minute. The dinner is planned to keep her in the kitchen just as little as possible after her guest arrives. The soup and dessert are made in the morning, the spinach is washed and put on ice until needed, the lettuce is washed, crisped and dried for the salad so the actual preparation at dinner time is not overwhelming.

Ramikins of Chicken and Rice.

One 3½ or 4 pound chicken, 8 cups water, 1¼ cups rice, 4 tablespoons tomato catsup, 2 tablespoons minced green pepper, 1 tablespoon chili sauce, salt.

Clean and disjoint chicken. Cook in water until tender. Lift out chicken. Add enough boiling water to stock to make 2 quarts, reserve 1 quart for dinner soup and cook rice in remaining stock. Cook the rice very slowly until soft and stock absorbed. Add chicken coarsely choped, catsup, minced pepper, chili sauce and salt. Simmer 10 or 15 minutes and turn into buttered ramikins to serve. Garnish with a sprig of parsley.

Health Physician Urges Walking As Valuable Aid to Keep Health

"If people have two blocks to go, they ride these days," declared Dr. C. P. Fryer, health officer today.

"Walking has numerous valuable functions, including exercise, diversion and assistance in health maintenance," according to Doctor Fryer.

"Ordinarily it is reserved for infants to learn to walk," the physician said. "However, there appears too imminent need for adults to learn as well.

"The increasing use of motor cars and other forms of rapid transportation has lessened the use of legs until there appears to be some danger of forgetting their function in the process of locomotion."

"Walking is particularly needed by so called brain workers," Dr. Fryer said, pointing out that manual laborers, farmers, ranchmen, postmen and others engaged in similar occupations are less subject to attacks of apoplexy and various derangements than are brain workers.

"Walking is not a panacea for all ills to which man is heir but it frequently will improve the health of the person, who is by choice or necessity, compelled to work indoors in an artificial environment.

"Systematic walking diverts a largely increased volume of blood to the muscular system and particularly to the lower extremities. As a result congestion in the infernal organs is diminished."

The best time to take a walk is after office hours and before the heavy evening meal, Dr. Fryer recommended. He pointed out that an hour's walk increases appetite, disseminates fatigue poisons and fits one for sound sleep. Morning strolls are also beneficial as the air is stimulating and the mind sufficiently alert to appreciate nature, he said.

"Walking also develops muscles, removes excess weight and improves digestion, stimulates circulation and increases lung capacity.

"Walking has the disadvantage of being free, and being a relatively mild exercise offers little opportunity for competition while other sports offer chances for excelling."

Neosho—Work will be started April 1 on a $250,000 milk condensery here.

Shopping isn't just a pastime

WHEN buying a coat, you look for style and quality. That is why you compare one coat with another. You find comparison very helpful in selecting just the right coat.

The same holds true in buying coffee.

Folger's Coffee is the supreme of the world's coffees. Each grain of coffee in Folger's is the highest grade, highest type and highest priced coffee that the world produces in its respective countries of growth.

We ask you to compare Folger's Coffee with the brand you are now using by making the Folger Coffee Test. It is the logical, easy way to shop for coffee.

The Folger Coffee Test: Drink Folger's Coffee tomorrow morning; the next morning drink the coffee you have been using; the third morning drink Folger's again. You will decidedly favor one brand or the other. The Best Coffee Wins. That's fair, isn't it?

The first thought in the morning

FOLGER'S Coffee

Established 1850

See that the name Folger's is on the can. Make it your buying guide for coffee. It is the mark of distinction.

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WINDOW SHADES 59c and 69c

First quality window shades, 36 inches wide in both 6 and 7 foot widths.

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CURTAIN RODS 10c to 49c

Straight and curved end, perfect fitting brass rods, al llengths.

This is Drapery Week

IT MEANS

Once again

Grahams Scores

in Bigger

Values.

AT THIS STORE

And once again we show the houre furnishers of Maryville that good draperies may be purchased at reasonable prices. Every event we have ever offered has proven to us again that our plan of smaller profits and quicker turnover meets the approval of people of this city. Every sale we make must do two things. It must save the customer money and must give such undisputed value that the purchaser will be a life-long friend of ours. Every Offering in this Event Fills Both of These Specifications.

NOW!

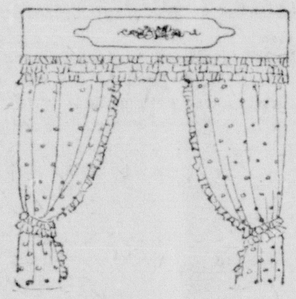
Is the Time

to Save on

Good Quality

Draperies.

A GREAT SHOWING OF CURTAINS



LACE CURTAINS

Of filet net seem to be in demand again this year. Allover design in natural and white, finished with lace edge, are selling at

Grahams, a pair..... **$1.98**

Plain SCRIM, priced a yard..... **10c**

Full width plain scrims, double border in white, ecru and cream. See the quality of these fabrics. You'll be surprised.

HERE TOMORRW

At A Very Low Price

98c a pair

Five Styles At This Low Price

A big curtain event indeed. Held for the benefit of women who wish to start their refurnishings NOW. It required a search over all the market to get these values—but they're here at last—See that you get your share of the BIG SAVINGS.

Filet Net Panels with borders and fringed, pair.... **$1.98**

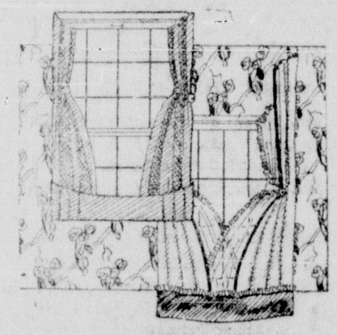
MARQUISETTE, 36 inches wide..... **19c**

These are used quite extensively for bed room curtains—sash curtains. They come in barred and stripe efefcts.

Marquisette Curtains with colored ruffles, pair..... **69c**

Dainty Lace Cloths, are now a yard..... **25c**

These lace cloths make very attractive curtains. The fine sheer quality cannot be beat; 36 inches wide.



HERE ARE NEW CRETONNES

At present nothing seems to fit in so well with current vogue as cretonnes, and these new cretonnes have more coloring, more distinctive patterns than ever before, unusual at..... **35c**

Plain Grenadines with colored dots..... **39c**

The small patterns of these grenadines make them most essential for bed room curtains.

New and Attractive Nets and Rayons

Attractive CURTAIN NETS at..... **39c**

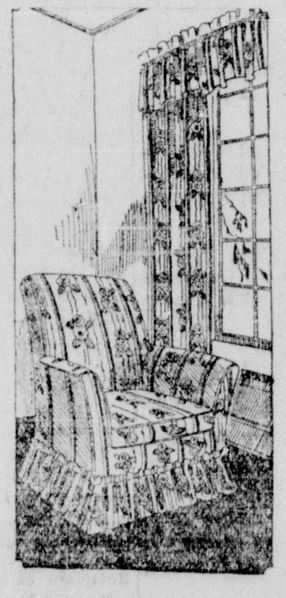
A splendid line of 45 inch curtain nets in novelty weaves and artistic patterns of the season's most desirable qualities.

CABLE AND FILET NETS **49c**

Dainty allover patterns for use in living rooms, 40 and 42 inches wide, well made and durable.

RAYON NETS FOR CURTAINS **39c**

New weaves in rayon silks in various Jacquard and stripe patterns. This collection features a new material in a number of lovely patterns.



36 inch Drapery Damask! "Rayon Filled"

98c a yard

A very special purchase brings to you this unusual value.

This lustrous fabric is especially adapted to hangings and draperies because of its beautiful colorings and patterns.

Fiber Chair Seats made like leather, your choice **10c**

Paint Brushes of good quality bristles. All kinds and sizes. **10c to 49c**

Scrub Brushes in large variety of shapes to choose from **5c to 15c**

Wire Clothes Lines 75 feet long, fine strand for **49c**

House Brooms, Good quality broom corn, four sewed **39c**

Carpet Beaters, wire and steel, wooden handles **15c**

HOSIERY

All the New Easter Shades

That blend beautifully with new costumes and footwear.
Shell gray, champagne, Moonlight, pearl blush, nude, atmosphere, sand dust and grain.

Both Chiffon and Service weight.

$1 $1.50 $2 $2.50

MONTGOMERY SHOE CO.
"Art in Footwear"

SPECIALS
Thursday — Friday — Saturday

Two-burner Oil Stove Oven— Regular $3.85	$3.29
1 pound can Johnson's Wax— Regular 75c	59c
Willow Clothes Basket— Regular $1.40	98c
5 gallon Cream City Cream Can— heavy—Regular $3.65	$3.19
8 gallon Cream City Cream Can— heavy—Regular $4.00	$3.39
10 gallon Cream City Cream Can— heavy—Regular $4.50	$3.79
Johnson's Varnish	ONE-FOURTH OFF
Garden Rake— Regular $1.00	79c
Garden Fork— Regular $1.25	98c
Garden Hoe— Regular $1.25	98c
No. 2 Galvanized Tub— Regular 80c	69c
12 quart Milk Bucket— Regular 55c	35c

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Archabbot of Beuron Visits at Conception

Representative of Famous Benedictine Congregation in U. S. in Interest of Beuronese Art.

(From Conception College Morning Star.)

Through the fame of its individual Abbeys the Beuronese Benedictine Congregation is becoming widely known in America. Maria Laach furnished the Abbot Primate of the Benedictine Order, who was recently the guest of the various Benedictine Abbeys and convents in this country. Widely known is Maria Laach also as the European center of the Liturgical Movement, which has lately begun to take root also in America.

Just now the parent monastery of the famous congregation, Beuron itself, is represented in this country by Archabbot Raphael Walzer O. S. B. He is here in the interest of the Beuronese Art School, and of its Liturgical music. The latter is the product of the Beuronese Schola Cantorum, and is a distinct contribution to ecclesiastical music in general, and to the new Liturgical Movement in particular.

But Beuron has been famous from its beginning in 1863, as the birthplace of a new and achieving style of representative art. This reflorescence of art at Beuron derives its strength and inspiration from the study and imitation of the art of Old Egypt.

Samples of this art wrought into sacred vessels, crucifixes, statues, and paintings are being exhibited in some of the large cities. Plans are also under way for presenting this art school and its products still more widely to the public by means of an ingenious moving picture production.

While this publicity work is going on the Rt. Rev. Archabbot is visiting a limited number of American abbeys. On Sunday, March 12, he came from St. Benedict's Abbey, Atchison, Kan., to Conception. The two day visit was heartily enjoyed at the monastery and at Clyde convent. Archabbot ten years, and but thirty-nine years of age, genial and democratic, he is equally at home whether depicting the condition of the masses in present day Germany, relating antecdotes of its noted ecclesiastical personages, or picturing the human side of life in his own monastery.

The recognition now accorded to Beuron art is a source of special gratification and pride to Conception and her friends. The alumni have assuredly not forgotten the mural paintings in the abbey church here. They will be interested to learn that the Conception Fathers who executed those paintings got their training at Beuron. These paintings are typically Beuronese, probably the first, and possibly the only considerable achievement of Beuronese art in this country.

From Conception the Rt. Rev. Archabbot continued his circuit, with Chicago as his immediate destination.

THE GREAT WAR
TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.

March 30, 1917—

Understood after a protracted cabinet meeting that President Wilson has decided to ask Congress when it meets in special session next week to declare that "a state of war exists" with Germany.

Abbey Notes

(From the Conception College Morning Star.)

The Rev. Prior Father Gregory spent the middle of last week in Des Moines assisting the choir of St. Augustine's Church in preparing the Holy Week Program.

Father Lawrence is at present at St. Vincent's Home, Lansing, Kansas, during the forced absence of the pastor by sickness.

Father Isidore is scheduled to preach the Forty Hours Devotion at the Immaculate Conception Church, St. Joseph.

Father Stephen is giving the regular lenten sermons every Wednesday evening at the Immaculate Conception Church, St. Joseph.

Father Fintan is taking the place of Father Athanasius as assistant chaplain in the hospital at Maryville.

During the past week Father Richard made a trip to Chicago to purchase a statue of St. Ann donated by a friend.

Father Berthold is preaching a Forty Hours Devotion at Muscatine, Iowa.

Rev. Father Bernard O. F. M. of St. Anthony's Church, St. Louis, preached the sermon in the Abbey Church on St. Benedict's Day.

Brother Thaddeus returned home last Wednesday from St. Francis Hospital in Maryville where he underwent an operation for varicose veins.

Mellon Sails

Secretary of the Treasury Andrew Mellon when he sailed from New York on the S. S. Olympic to visit his daughter, Mrs. David K. Bruce, recovering in a Paris hospital from a recent operation. It was expected that the secretary would accompany Mrs. Bruce back to Rome where her husband occupies a diplomatic post.

This and That

The following poem, written by Mrs. Edward W. Gray to Mrs. B. E. Condon, teacher of the first grade at the Garfield school, was read yesterday afternoon at a surprise party given for Mrs. Condon in honor of her birthday:

Birds to North returning,
Winter's nearly gone;
Dandelions springing
Out upon the lawn;
Many little blossoms,
Perfect every one,
Soon will ope their petals,
Seeking for the sun.

Little lives beginning
Like the rarest flowers,
Needing constant guidance
Thro' the daylight hours.
Books are never lacking,
Lessons must be taught;
Into budding little lives,
Mighty truths are wrought.

Arduous is your task now,
Let the future show,
For the seed that you have sown,
To genius then may grow!
Love must surely aid you,
Patience ne'er depart;
Grateful are the parents
For an understanding heart.

May the echoes of this day
In memory be sweet;
We wish you blessings manifold,
And happiness complete.

What Jerry Says.

Oh! Yes the times are changing,
So many things are new
That we've almost forgotten
Just how we used to do.
It used to be that women folks
Were household drudge and scolds,
But now we find them smiling
And voting at the polls.

It used to be the kitchen
Was where females were found,
Washing pans and dishes
And clothes the year around,
Tending to the babies,
Making pies and rolls,
But now we find them judging
And clerking at the polls.

We can't tell just exactly
If it's better or it's worse
For them to be in politics
Than to be a baby's nurse;
But as they seem to like it,
(Bless their precious souls),
Why let them do the judging
And clerking at the polls.

They run for all the offices,
From constable to judge,
And when we go to oust them,
We just can't make them budge;
So all you little he men
Just crawl into your holes,
And let the modern woman
Have the running of the polls.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pope entertained with a dinner Sunday at their country home near Hopkins for Mr. and Mrs. Miko Sturm, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Seipel and family, Misses Lucy and Marguerite Sturm, Geraldine Sturm, and Carl Boedecker. Mr. and Mrs. Nick Thull of Pickering were afternoon guests.

Read the Want Ads.

One Boy, Four Girls--Two of Them Sisters--on College Honor Roll

Five State Teachers College students—four girls and one boy—made the grade of excellent in all of their college work during the winter quarter, according to an announcement made this morning by Uel W. Lamkin, president of the College, at the regular assembly.

The students making the high scholastic rating are:

Miss Nell Castle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Castle of Oregon; Miss Julia Daily, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. L. Daily of St. Joseph; Misses Elizabeth and Katherine Mills, daughters of Dr. and Mrs. O. P. M. Mills of Grant City, and Paschal Monk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Monk of Burlington Junction.

An unusual thing about the honor students is that two of them—the Mills girls—are from the same family. Both are prominent in school life and activities, and both have had high ratings all through their college work.

Miss Castle made E in French, and E minus in English, education, and Latin, for a total of ten quarter hours.

Miss Daily made E in agriculture, sociology, history, and music, for a total of ten hours.

Miss Elizabeth Mills made E minus in piano, and E in two education courses, music, art, and voice, for a total of twelve and a half hours.

Miss Katherine Mills made E minus in French and E in chemistry, English, history and physical education, for a total of eleven and a fourth hours.

Monk made E in voice and E minus in Latin, education, two music courses, and piano.

Dr. C. C. James, teacher of Bible at the College, who leaves this week for Cameron, Mo., led the devotionals this morning and gave a short farewell talk.

WEDDING OFF; BRIDEGROOM IS IN COUNTY JAIL

Charley Irvin, 36, Gets License 'N-everything.— Then "Law" Steps In, Charging Theft.

County officers can take no pity on a person regardless of the position he might be in.

This was demonstrated yesterday afternoon when Sheriff L. B. Campbell postponed a wedding to some future time between Charley Irvin, 36, and Mrs. Faye Blacheter, 26, divorcee.

Sheriff Campbell arrested Irvin about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon on charges of petit larceny and Irvin spent the night in the county jaiil wondering how he could furnish a $300 bond so that he could make use of a marriage license. The license was taken out for Irvin by Mrs. Blacketer's father, William Pliss, about the time Irvin was taken into custody.

The prospective bridegroom furnished the required $300 bond at 1 o'clock this afternoon and was released from jail to appear during the April term of circuit court.

Irvin resented it when Sheriff Campbell served the warrant on him, protesting that he "couldn't do that" because he was going to be married that evening.

His pleas fell on deaf ears, and the Sheriff took Irvin to the jail. Information was filed against Irvin several days ago by Prosecuting Attorney George P. Wright, alleging that Irvin had picked up a handbag belonging to Mrs. Marion Fine, who lives on Route 6.

The handbag was returned to her by Irvin, minus two purses and $7 or $8 which Mrs. Fine alleged were in the handbag when she dropped it on a street in Maryville.

Officers claimed that Irvin "skipped out of town following the incident, and they had been watching for him, until he returned here yesterday to get married.

His wife to be, Mrs. Blacketer, was divorced from Cleo M. Blacketer, January 11, at the last term of the Nodaway county circuit court, when she filed a petition alleging indignities, that her husband was associated with other women, and that he left her May 17, 1926.

She was married to Blacketer May 6, 1916, and was awarded $200 alimony and $30 a month for the support of her four children, who were awarded to her custody, Virgil M, age 10; Vern L., age 8; Vira B, age 6; and Perry W., age 4.

English Instructor at Bigelow.

Miss Lula Mae Curfman has been elected as English instructor in the Bigelow High School, and assumed her duties Monday morning. Miss Curfman will receive her degree from the State Teachers College at the close of the spring semester.

AUNT HET

"I have to wear dark dresses because folks expect it at my age, but I buy the brightest colored outing I can get for gowns."

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MAYOR DIES AT SKIDMORE

GEORGE L. OWEN DIES AT HOME THIS MORNING.

WILL BE BURIED HERE

Was a Resident of Skidmore Since 1902, Where He Was Agent for the Burlington Railway.

George L. Owen, for the last four years mayor of Skidmore, and agent for the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company at Skidmore since 1902, died at his home there at 5 o'clock this morning. Mr. Owen had been failing in health for several years and death was caused by hardening of the arteries.

The time of the funeral, which will be held at the M. E. Church in Skidmore, has not been decided upon. Burial will be in Oak Hill cemetery in Maryville.

Mr. Owen was born at Randolph, Columbia county, Wis., on Jan. 28, 1867, and was a son of John R. and Mary (Jones) Owen, both natives of Wales. Mr. Owen was reared on the home farm in Wisconsin, where he remained until 1884, when the family moved to Randolph.

In 1887 he began to learn telegraphy, and the following year he entered the employ of the Wisconsin Central Railroad Company as telegraph operator. During the first seven months he was employed as a night operator at Chelsea, and was then transferred to Worcester, where he became station agent and operator. After five months here he was transferred to High Bridge, Wis., as station agent, a position which he retained a year and two months.

He then went to work for the Santa Fe Railroad Co., at Ethel, Mo., and two weeks later became agent for the railroad in this new town. In June, 1893, he was sent to Bucklin, Mo., where he remained as agent until 1900, when he quit the railroad business and went into the real estate business there, but in the fall of 1901 he entered the employ of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company, in the capacity of night operator at Napier, Mo. He came to Skidmore the following year.

On Oct. 3, 1895, Mr. Owen married Anna Williams, who survives with one son, Dr. William Byron Owen, Maryville dentist.

Mr. Owen was a member of the 32nd degree of Free Masonry and Shrine, the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, the Woodmen of the World and the Order of Railway Telegraphers. He belonged to the Methodist Episcopal Church, in which he took an active interest. He had been superintendent of the Sunday School continuously since 1904, and served for several years as chairman of the board of trustees. Mr. Owen gave an earnest support to every movement for the advancement of the best interests of his community.

New York Banker a Visitor Here Today

F. N. Shephert of New York, executive secretary of the American Bankers association, arrived in Maryville today at noon to visit his sister, Miss Grace Shepherd of the education department of the State Teachers College. Mr. Shepherd has been attending the Midwest Regional Savings Conference in St. Louis and was one of the speakers at a dinner held last night in that city. His subject was "A National Anti-Branch Bank Policy."

Mr. Shepherd will leave tonight for New York. He was a luncheon guest today of the Round Table Club at the Linville hotel.

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GROUNDS WILL BE BEAUTIFIED

D. A. R.'S PLAN IMPROVEMENTS TO CEMETERY.

ANY ONE MAY HELP

Committee in Charge of East First Street Project Will Welcome Gifts of Shrubs.

The Maryville Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will launch an extensive campaign this spring for the beautification of the old Nodaway County Cemetery which is located on East First street, next to the Jefferson school.

Each daughter will contribute to the fund for the improvements and any other persons interested are welcome to help, Mrs. Joseph Jackson, regent of the local chapter, said today.

Part of the grounds of the cemetery are being defaced and it is the aim of the chapter to fence in the ground and to plant shrubs. A wire fence will be put up and it will be covered with vines. A row of poplars will form the boundary line on the north side of the grounds.

The organization also feels that in beautifying the grounds adjacent to the school it will be aiding the children of the school in teaching them respect for the things sacred and in developing an appreciation of the beauty in Nature.

The D. A. R.'s need other than financial help in reclaiming the ground, too. Hardy shrubs or plants which Maryville persons may have in excess would be appreciated and the following plants and flowers could be used at the cemetery: Spirea, barberry, lilac, forsythia, syringa, weigela, honey-suckle, rambler roses, Japonica, iris, hardy phlox, golden glow, tiger lilies and sweet briar rose.

Anyone having any of these plants which can be spared are asked to call any one of the committee in charge and the members will see that the plants are gathered. The workers are ready to start now and so promptness in calling will be appreciated. The committee members are: Chairman, Mrs. C. C. Corwin; Mr. J. F. Montgomery, Mrs. J. W. Tool, Mrs. Forrest Gillam, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, and Mrs. Joseph Jackson, regent, also is helping in the work. Contributions to the fund may be given to any of the forementioned members or to Mrs. D. R. Baker, treasurer of the chapter.

Several hundred dollars expenditure will be necessary to put the grounds in condition.

Some time ago a boulder was placed in the cemetery as a monument by the D. A. R.'s.

This movement to restore the cemetery was started in 1914. At that time the first committee in charge of the work was composed of chairman, Mrs. Charles T. Bell; Mrs. G. L. Wilfley, Mrs. E. G. Orear, Mrs. D. J. Thomas and Miss Katherine Helwig.

In 1915 the placing of markers to identify the graves in the old cemetery was accomplished. In that year the grounds were leveled, driveways built, graves restored and the markers placed in concrete holders.

Again in 1917 work was done to the grounds.

The cemetery is perhaps the one spot in the city, excepting the courthouse and jail, that is owned by the county.

The cemetery has not been used for burial since about 1875. It preceded any of the Maryville cemeteries. It was platted when the city of Maryville was originally laid out in 1845. There are about 135 graves on the grounds. The cemetery was originally laid out outside the city limits, but the city soon grew around it. About 1869 there was an epidemic of typhoid fever in Maryville. Especially did the disease strike the southeast part of town. The residents suspected that it came from the drinking water and the city council passed an ordinance prohibiting the burial of any more bodies within the city limits. About a year before that Oak Hill cemetery had been opened. Many of the bodies were then removed to that burying ground.

Sunday School Meet in Kansas Capitol

Topeka, Kan., March 30.—Use of the state capitol building for the state Sunday school convention in May will be allowed by Governor Ben F. Paulen.

Mrs. Tolbert Hartman and children of Sedalia came Monday to visit Mrs. Hartman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ulmer, and other relatives.

Fayette—Construction of White Ways on three blocks has been ordered by the Fayette City Council.

Pan-American Flyers Die In Collison Wreck

Soldiers from the military aviation field at Palomar, near Buenos Aires, search the burning wreck of the airplane "Detroit" for the body of Captain Clinton F. Woolsey. Lieutenant John W. Benton, who also lost his life as a result of the "Detroit's" collision in mid-air with the "New York," was thrown clear of the "Detroit" as the machines fell into a cabbage field. Parachutes saved Major Herbert A. Dargue, commander of the Pan-American "Good Will" expedition, and his companion, who were in the "New York." The first picture to reach the United States.

Joyful Life Theme of Girl Reserves

The returns that come from a joyful life was the theme of discussion at the meeting this morning of the advanced group of Girl Reserves of the Maryville High School, sponsored by Miss Fannie Hope. Devotions were in charge of Bonnie Campbell.

The talks were:

"Joys in Things," by Mildred Bailey; "Joy in Work," by Elizabeth Hull; "Influence of a Joyful Life," by Dorthy Bailey.

A program based upon information published in the Y. W. C. A. Magazine was given before the beginning group of Girl Reserves at their weekly meeting also held this morning. Two stories, "The Radiant Tree" and "Coming Home," were read by Mildred Hotchkin and Helen Davis. Devotions were in charge of Miss Anna R. Crane, the sponsor. A talk on the "Y. W. C. A. in the Philippine Islands," was given by Helen Murray.

Delay Choosing Head of Springfield S. T. C.

"Anti-Administration" Force Demand Naming of a "Neutral" President at Meeting Monday.

Springfield, Mo., March 30.—W. G. Rathbone, president of the board of regents of Southwest State Teachers' college here, announced the meeting to have been held here today to name a new president had been postponed until Monday. The meeting was delayed because C. A. Lee, state superintendent, was unable to be here today.

Several applications for the presidency have been received and a committee of educators representing twenty-two counties in Southwest Missouri has announced it would "demand a neutral president". The anti-administration forces have no special candidate for the office but do not want a "Dr. Clyde M. Hill man" named.

Although making no "personal attack" upon Dr. Roy Ellis, acting president, the committee members hinted, after presenting the petition to Mr. Rathbone at a special conference, that unless such a "neutral" as they request is named, to head the local college, school men of the twenty-two counties they claimed to represent would "boycott" the school.

The petition caused a stir at the college, as members of the faculty and the student body are backing Dr. Ellis. Ellis has done nothing to seek the presidency other than formally to file his application with the board of regents.

To Attend Important Missionary Meeting

The Rev. R. E. Musgrave, pastor of the First Christian Church, has been summoned to Kansas City to attend an important meeting there next Monday under te auspices of the United Christian Missionary Society, which has its headquarters in St. Louis. Ten other ministers in the state besides Mr. Musgrave have been called to the conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Judy of Graham announce the birth of a son this morning.

Albert Teuscher of Clearmont shipped a car of hogs to Chicago today.

Ransomed

After being gone for five days, Virginia Josephine Frazier, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Frazier of Chattanooga, Tenn., was returned on poyment of a ransom of $3333. When the money was paid, the child was left on the front porch of a pastor who was a friend of the Fraziers.

Chillicothe Farmers Want New Creamery

Cooperation With Chamber Of Commerce May Mean $100,000 Plant For Livingston County.

Chillicothe, Mo., March 30.—Farmers in the neighborhood of Chillicothe are co-operating with the Chamber of Commerce here in an effort to secure a new creamery. Plans are to have the creamery constructed here at an approximate cost of $100,000.

Surveys conducted by the agricultural committee of the Chamber of Commerce ascertained that a large number of farmers are willing to increase their herds at least two cows of the same type that they are now milking. With a certain number of farmers that are not now concerned with the movement commencing to produce butterfat, it is estimated that a volume of close to 2,000,000 pounds a year can be obtained.

Federal and state committees have investigated the activities of co-operative creameries and find that they are very successful.

Movement to provide for the financing of the movement will be launched within a few days, it is understood.

Trenton Is Having Annual Clean-Up

Trenton, Mo., March 30.—Stores here have anticipated the annual spring clean-up and paint-up by re-decorating the interiors of their buildings.

Clean-up week starts here next Monday. Commercial club is leading the movement and hopes to make it countywide.

Berlin Expects to Exceed New York

Berlin, March 30.—Within fifteen years Berlin's population may surpass that of New York, according to the estimates of experts, published in the Berlin "Zeitung am Mittag." Compared to New York's approximate 6,000,000 inhabitants, Berlin now has 4,000,000.

It is suggested that in 15 to 20 years, Berlin will have a population close to 8,000,000. On the same basis, it is computed that in 100 years Berlin's population will have reached 125,000,000—more than the total population of the United States today.

These figures assume a growth of population of about 4 per cent annually.

Parnell

(By the Willing Workers)

Mrs. Harold Henson and Miss Georgia Gaynor were Sheridan visitors Tuesday.

Fred Comer of Creston, Ia., visited his sister, Mrs. O. W. Hawk, and family, Sunday.

Orley Miller was a business visitor in Savannah.

Mr. and Mrs. Frowin Guenther and children spent Sunday with relatives near Conception.

Miss Matie Evans of the State Teachers College spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Spire entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. John Spire and family, and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Auer and family.

The Rev. Father Andrew was a business visitor in Maryville Tuesday.

Frank Logan spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Logan.

Miss Mildred Hall made a business trip to St. Joseph, Tuesday.

Frank Geisten and family moved into the Jim Robison property, Monday, from a farm near Oxford.

Miss Berniece Cox, accompanied by Misses Mildred and Perminio Davis, Anna Gorsuch and Jennie McMillan of the State Teachers College, at Maryville, visited at the T. M. Cox home, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barber and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will McCrery.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. O'Day and family of Maryville and Mrs. Margie Morris and Miss Margaret Riley of Guilford were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Harris, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. DeFreece entertained at dinner Sunday, H. R. Butler and Miss Irene DeFreece of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Harman and daughters and Henry DeFreece.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bird were Sunday dinner guests at the Elias Echterling home.

Miss Jessie McLaughlin of Sheridan was a Parnell visitor, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. DeFreece entertained with a birthday dinner Tuesday in honor of their daughter, Dorothy Helen's fifth birthday. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Misses Esther Smith, Vern Batson and Mrs. Eliza Sparks.

The Eastern Star Lodge held an initiation last Wednesday evening. After the initiation a lunch consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee was served and everyone enjoyed the evening very much. Mrs. E. F. Hamlin, Mrs. V. E. Bird and Mrs. Appleby of Maryville were out-of-town visitors. The following members were present: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Breit, Bert Spoonemore, Mesdames, H. Day, J. S. Matteson, Ira Thackery, Elsie Burch, J. F. Lafavor, Julia L. Jones, Nell Jones, and W. D. Hart, and Misses Cramer and Getha Conrad.

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Debates In Congress During Short Session Cost $240,000

Washington, Mar. 30.—Talk on the floors of Congress during the short session which closed recently cost the taxpayer $240,000.

This was the cost of printing some 6,000 pages of the daily Congressional Record at $40 per page. It doesn't take a member long to speak $40 worth, and when the debate waxes hot and furious a page is filled very quickly.

The Congressional Record ran longer than usual, and thus cost slightly more this session because of the filibuster at the end, when members talked day and night.

The record not only is filled with speeches and debate, but numerous long articles of one sort and another are inserted at the request of members, as well as comprehensive government reports with many figures. Magazine and newspaper articles which already have had wide circulation are re-printed in full, all at the expense of the government. Occasionally a member protests against this practice on the ground of economy, but he gets little attention.

Besides speeches which were made on the floor, the record carries many which never were made. This occurs in the House, where members are allowed to "revise and extend" their remarks when time is called on them. Three bulky issues of the Congressional Record had to be issued after Congress adjourned to care for this material.

One of these issues carried an 82-page speech by Rep. Blanton, Dem., of Texas. A good deal of this space was devoted to a re-print of testimony in a congressional hearing which already had been printed. The cost, at $40 a page, is $3,320, which is more than most government employes get for a year's work.

A speech by Senator Heflin, Dem., Ala., attacking the Catholics, ran for 37 pages, which is $1,480 at $40 a day, which is about the average of the government clerk's yearly salary.

The Congressional Record carries only debate in the two Houses. Beyond that are the voluminous committee hearings on various subjects, which occasionally run into volumes, as in the oil investigation.

Notice to Car Owners or Operators

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FICTION

by Carolyn Wells

CHAPTER XXXIX.

"I mean to question everybody concerned, Mrs. Barron," Stone told her. "I talk to you alone only because I think it less distasteful to you than to be asked questions before others."

"You say 'everybody concerned.' I am not concerned—in any definite way."

"No, but you stood next the man at the time of the—"

"Not next to him. My husband was between us."

"Oh, yes. And you both had been talking to him?"

"Not I. He addressed Mr. Barron, who, of course, had to reply."

"I see. And you, then, never spoke to Garrett Folsom?"

"Never."

"You never saw him until that morning?"

"I saw him the night before in the lounge of the hotel. But I did not meet him."

"Now, just one more thing. You know Mrs. Valdon?"

"Slightly."

"You are not friends."

"Mere acquaintances. She is very beautiful, but she is not the type of woman I make friends with. I like her companion, Mrs. Barnaby, better."

"You know nothing of Mrs. Valdon to her disadvantage? I'm sorry to be so plain spoken, but I know that we both have at heart only the cause of Croydon Sears, and any possible sidelight I can get on this matter may help us."

"Then I will answer frankly. I know nothing of Mrs. Valdon, to her definite detriment, except that she tries to bribe the servants to let her go into the rooms that were occupied by Mr. Folsom."

"She did do that? Do you mean she continues to do so?"

"Yes. My nurse knows her chambermaid, and I insisted on her telling me."

"That is helpful and you have done right in letting me know. Rest assured such information will only be used in furthering the cause of justice, and it is through some such chance knowledge that we often reach the facts."

The whole party arrived back at the hotel about the same time, and, though the gay scene in the lounge and dancing rooms was attractive, Stone declared his readiness to meet Miss Folsom and her nephew and have a conference on the business that had brought him down.

The Barrons were excused from attendance and Robin Sears and Angel Fair were sent away to dance.

Then Croydon Sears and the detective accepted an invitation, brought them by Tite Riggs, to hold the session in the rooms that had been Folsom's and were now occupied by Dan Pelton.

This suited Stone and they went there at once.

"I am glad you are here, Mr. Stone," Anastasia said, in her straightforward way." I wish I might have engaged you. I have one detective already," she said, glancing at Riggs, "and I find no fault with him. But he has not your experience, whatever talent he may possess. Now, I hope you two will work together, for there is much to be done. I know, as well as you do, that Mr. Sears is coming into notice, and if ever there was a ridiculous suspect, he is it!"

"Why?" and Stone looked at her gravely. "I came down here, Miss Folsom, to save my friend, Croydon Sears, from a possible false accusation, and if you so lightly toss aside the danger of such, I shall think I came unnecessarily."

"Maybe unnecessarily for that effort, but there is still the question of who killed my brother. That has to be answered, Mr. Stone, and if you will take it upon yourself to solve the mystery, I will gladly pay any bill you may present."

"To my mind, Miss Folsom," Stone said, "the best and surest way to save Mr. Sears' name from unherited accusation is to find the real murderer. In this I am quite sure you agree with me."

"Yes, indeed," was the emphatic response. "And, the way it looks to me, we are just starting out on a new investigation, or rather on a new phase of the investigation, but better equipped for an intelligent inquiry."

Fleming Stone looked at the speaker with evident admiration.

"A wise judge could not put the matter more accurately," he said, "and I am glad to work with and for you and your colleagues."

"And for heaven's sake get somewhere," said Pelton, who, while saying little, had been listening to Stone and his aunt. "I'm no detective myself, but I think if I were I'd work harder and faster than most."

"He's hitting me," Tite Riggs said, with no display of annoyance. "But we know, don't we, Mr. Stone, that the great intellects of the true detectives work slowly? That the snap judgments and hasty conclusions of the amateurs are of little worth compared to the astounding results of our deliberation and meditation."

The classing of himself with the famous Stone was forgivable because of Riggs' whimsical tone and good-humored smile.

"We'll try to compass both," Stone said; "we'll hope to get the speedy results Mr. Pelton so much desires, together with the astounding results promised by Mr. Riggs. And now to business. Mr. Pelton, your part will be to show me all the papers of your late uncle's that have any bearing on the matter of his death. Or better still, all the papers of his you have down here, for it's easy to be mistaken as to the bearing of a document."

"All right, Mr. Stone," was the reply, but the observant eye of the detective noted a disinclination to comply with the request.

"Perhaps that will be our first step," Stone went on, determined to push the matter, since Pelton was so obviously averse to it.

Yet it was not a lengthy procedure. After the neat bundles of letters and papers were brought from the desk and looked over, Miss Folsom directed her nephew to produce the suitcases that he had brought from New York, with additional data in it.

To this Pelton showed unmistakable unwillingness. He said he had mislaid the key to the suitcase, but his aunt brought him up with a round turn.

"Nonsense!" she exclaimed. "You haven't done anything of the sort, and if you have, it doesn't matter. We can break it open. You bring out that suitcase, Dan."

Pelton went to the closet to get it, and before he returned he could be heard opening the catch.

"Bring it just as it is, please," said Fleming Stone calmly, wondering if Dan Pelton was, after all, concerned in the affair.

"Don't you dare meddle with it," cried Miss Anastasia, jumping up and going to her nephew. "Whatever ails you, Dan? What monkey tricks are you up to now?"

"Nothing of the sort," he returned. "I had put some of my own letters in here, too—that's all."

As he talked he had set the small case on a table and, flinging it open, was looking amazedly at its contents. Apparently something surprised him, but in a moment he gave a sigh of relief, and said:

"There you are, Mr. Stone. I didn't put mine in there after all. I thought I did."

"Forgetful youth," Stone said, lightly. "Well, here goes for these, then."

But no more evidential documents were found in this lot than in the other, and Stone's suspicions of Dan Pelton took a new lease of life. The young man acted nervous and anxious until the suitcase was opened, then he was calm and at ease. What had he expected that he didn't find?

Stone began to see this affair had ramifications that he hadn't heretofore suspected. And if Dan Pelton was a factor in the case, it behooved an investigator to walk delicately, for Pelton had the whip hand in his possession of all documents and letters.

The more Stone thought about it the more sure he was that something had been abstracted from the suitcase during Pelton's absence from the room, and that whatever it was had given Pelton satisfaction rather than otherwise. Therefore it was something that incriminated Pelton or somebody Pelton desired to shield.

This was one of those swift flashes of intuition and sudden enlightenment that comes at times, and Stone was quick to find out if any one friendly to Pelton had accomplished this act, whatever it was, that had changed him from a spirit of apprehension and fear to a satisfied, contented mood.

(To Be Continued.)

"Don't you dare meddle with it!" cried Miss Anastasia.

Is Dan Pelton trying to conceal something form Fleming Stone? Read the next chapter.

Burlington Junction

By J. Howard Thompson.

Mrs. Weymer Graves, daughter of W. F. Beightal, recently gave a surprise dinner for her father on his seventy-second birthday. Thirty-two friends were present. The feature of the dinner was a huge cake with seventy-two candles.

There will be a Father and Son banquet held in the basement of the Christian church next Friday night, under the auspices of the Hi-Y Club of the local high school. Good music will be furnished, and a good speaker will be secured for the occasion. Prof. Harry B. Rutledge will be the toastmaster. All fathers and sons are cordially invited to attend.

Peter Cornell is just now getting about on two crutches, owing to the fact that he met with a painful accident in trimming his raspberry vines a few days ago. In some manner he received a deep gash in his left leg below the knee with a hand sickle with which he was working.

John Calloway, custodian of the John W. Bales' household property, held a public sale of the goods last Saturday. The bidding was sluggish and articles brought low prices. The proceeds will be used in caring for Mr. Bales who is now in State Hospital Number Two, in St. Joseph, having suffered a stroke of apoplexy last August from which he has never recovered. Robert Tobin of Burlington Junction, cried the sale.

According to a previous announcement made by the Rev. A. L. Ragsdale, pastor of the Christian church, next Sunday night will conclude his school of missions, which he has been conducting for the past eight Sunday nights. The study has proven quite interesting and helpful. The study of the Book of Missions has been supplemented each Sunday night with steriopticon slides of the various mission fields in which the Christian church is functioning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Friend of St. Joseph were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Cossins last Sunday. Mr. Friend is a brother of Mrs. Cossins.

The cemetery association dinner, given last Saturday in the basement of the Christian church, was well patronized, there being many out-of-town persons present. The net proceeds of the two meals was nearly $300. There were many persons present from Maryville.

The Rev. J. Howard Thompson announces that the third quarterly communion service for the Methodist church will be held at the morning service, April 17, or Easter. At that time there will be given an opportunity for the christening of children or others. There will also be a free will offering which will be sent to the home for the aged at Marionville, Mo.

The pastor of the local Methodist church will deliver the class address for the 8th grade graduation of the Hagee school, six miles southwest of town. The address will be given at eight o'clock on Thursday night, April 21. The services will be public, and doubtless a large crowd will attend.

House cleaning, garden planting, seed sowing, and chicken raising, seem to have the right-of-way with everybody these days. At any rate everyone is as busy as can be with his individual spring work. The ground is in fine shape for working.

Miss Anna Walker left Monday morning for Oklahoma City for an indefinite stay. While gone she will visit a sister, and other friends in the southwest. She was in that country several months last year.

Vincent Carver moved from the Gillespy home, two blocks north of Main street, Monday, to the Thomas Graves home in the northwest part of town. Mr. Carver is an employe in the Ford garage here.

Charles Caldwell left last Friday for Amarillo, Tex., and other points for a few days looking after stock with which to stock his farm, seven miles west of town. He will be gone a week or more.

Miss Mary Barber returned late last week from Lenox, Ia., where she had gone several days before, to visit her brother, James Barber. Miss Barber has recently sold her interest in the Junction Mercantile store and her plans for the future are still uncertain.

The city election will be held next week, Tuesday, April 5, at which time a mayor for the unexpired term, and two Aldermen will be elected. There will be a mass meeting in the Armory building for the purpose of nominating candidates for these offices. The annual school election will be held the same day. The voting place for this election will be in the back room of the Northwestern bank. At this time two members of the board of education will be elected, and a levy of $1.20 will be asked for for the upkeep of the school and for building purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans went to Ford City and Albany last Saturday afternoon to visit, both the mother of Mr. Evans and the mother of Mrs. Evans. The former lives in Ford City and the latter in Albany. They were accompanied by Mr. Evans' niece, of Colorado Springs, Colo., who is making her home with the Evans' and attending the public school. Mr. Evans is in charge of the defunct Northwestern bank. They returned home Sunday night.

There was a mass meeting of the citizens of Burlington Junction, held in the Armory building Monday night for the purpose of nominating two members to be elected on the school board for the ensuing two-year term. The meeting was presided over by L. R. Sims, president of the board. Allen Martin, secretary of the board, read the call for the meeting. Loren Asbel and W. R. Miller were nominated by acclamation. The election will be held in the directors' room of the Northwestern bank building, next week Tuesday.

Mrs. Berry Hann and son, George Charles, went to Baldwin, Kan., ten days ago to visit her parents and other relatives. Mr. Hann drove to Baldwin last Saturday night, and accompanied them home Sunday afternoon.

At the regular monthly meeting of the town board with E. D. Wedge, acting mayor, a new cement crossing was ordered across the street just north of the Methodist church, joining onto the new cement walk in front of the church.

Leon Agee and his mother, Mrs. Agee with his two daughters, Nora Evylin, and Dora Virginia, of Conception, visited at the home of Mrs. Laura Tibbetts last Monday. Mrs. Lamb, the mother of Mrs. Agee, returned home with them.

Frank M. Liddle of St. Louis, state secretary of the Hi-Y organization, was to be here and address the public in the Methodist church tonight. He called and said he will be unavoidably detained until Sunday night, April 10.

S. E. Hereford and family are moving this week from the Shackleford property just across the street and west from the Methodist church, to the Gillespie property the first door west of the church.

The Rev. J. Howard Thompson was in Maryville Tuesday afternoon of this week for the purpose of attending the farewell reception given in the Methodist church, in honor of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James and family. Dr. James has recently been transferred by Bishop Waldorf of the Kansas City area, from the pastorate of the First M. E. church in Maryville, to the superintendency of the Cameron district of the M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Good, with their three children, Cecil, Philip, and Mary Ruth, moved this week from Burlington Junction to Clarinda to make their home. They have been residents here for a number of years, and have many friends, who regret their going away. Up until the first of last July, Mr. Good was manager of the local telephone system. Ill health caused his retirement from his work.

Four Women Face Death Penalty

Charged with murdering their husbands or their sweethearts these four women face possible death sentences if found guilty. Mrs. Snyder is charged with aiding her lover in the brutal murder of her husband while he slept in their New York apartment. Mrs. Heilman and Mrs. Alma Olson of Chicago are charged with murdering their husbands, and Miss Stokes with the murder of her sweetheart.

James J. Glennon

New Searchlight Uses 'Black Light'

London, March 30.—Tests are shortly to be made with an invisible searchlight throwing out rays of "black light." The new searchlight is the invention of John L. Baird, a Scottish inventor who has recently produced the "Televisor," a device enabling a person to see objects at a distance by wireless waves.

In the invisible searchlight use is made of certain rays that are invisible to the eye but which have the power of penetrating the air more readily than the ordinary light rays. By use of the televisor objects in the path of this black light are rendered clearly visible. It is understood that the British War Department is much interested in the new invention as opening interesting possibilities in the defense of cities against night attack by enemy air or ground forces.

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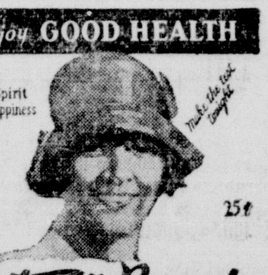

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FLOWERS 4

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PROFESSIONAL 8

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Office Phone Hanamo 485. Residence Hanamo 485½

LOST 10

LOST—Between Burlington depot and my home, pocket book containing currency. Return for reward. W. E. Goforth.

LOST—1927 automobile license number 171-593. Please return to this office.

LOST—Black and tan hound, southwest Maryville. Call this office. Reward.

LOST—Wool knit scarf with old gold border fringe. A present. Reward. Mrs. W. C. Hovan, Farmers 38-14.

STRAYED—Yearling bay bald-face colt.—Call Ralph Pratt at Bige Lawson's, Orrsburg.

AUTOMOTIVE

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE 12

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 28

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FINANCIAL

MONEY TO LOAN 31

TO LOAN—We have some money to loan on city property. See us at once. 6 per cent on good property.—Yeo Bros.

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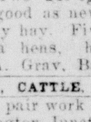

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HOUSEHOLD GOODS 37B

FOR SALE—Yellow dent corn at Crib, 60c per bushel.—C. D. McKibbon, Farmers 40-15.

WANTED TO BUY 38

WANTED—Clean rags, free from buttons.—Democrat-Forum & Tribune.

RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

FARMS, LANDS FOR RENT 41

FOR RENT—On share or cash. ¼-acre of ground for potatoes.—L. M. Wirth, 1424 North Mulberry.

HOUSES FOR RENT 42

FOR RENT—3 room house on East Fourth; good cement cave, well and garden spot. Call or see Charles A. Holt.

ROOMS FOR RENT 43

FOR RENT—Large downstairs bedroom, also good sleeping quarters for young men employed or students. 221 South Main.

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms in modern home.—116 South Mulberry.

HOUSES FOR SALE 47

FOR SALE OR RENT—5-room bungalow, modern, excellent condition.—Hanamo 4297 or 5763.

LOTS FOR SALE 48

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LEGAL NOTICES 51

(1st ins. March 18; last April 4).
NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

In compliance with section 11251, Revised Statutes of 1919, of the state of Missouri, notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of School District Number 97, county of Nodaway and state of Missouri, being the Maryville Public School District, that the annual school meeting of said school district will be held at the various voting places in the City of Maryville, Missouri, held for City election, on Tuesday the fifth day of April, 1927, commencing at seven o'clock A. M. and closing at six o'clock p. m. of that day, and among other things specified by law, the following will be proposed and considered:

First, the election of two directors for the term of three years each.

Second, the election of one director for the period of one year.

Third, A proposition to increase the rate of taxation, for the maintenance of school and school purposes, six mills on the one dollar of the assessed valuation of the district, in addition to the four mills authorized by law.

Fourth, A proposition to change the boundary line of said district in such a manner as to exclude from said district and attach to district number 96 the following described land to-wit: The West one half of section twenty-two (22) and the south east quarter of the north east quarter and the north east quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty-one (21), all in township sixty-four (64), of range thirty-five (35), in said Nodaway county, Missouri. Said described lands being now a part of said district number 97.

Fifth, The election of a County Superintendent of Schools.

By order of the Board of Directors.
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GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Secretary.

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HARMONY

The Sunday services were well attended, good congregations being present both the morning and evening hour, Mrs. Cunningham gave a very interesting discourse found in the third chapter of 1st Corinthians. A special offering for the work of the church in this conference was taken and over $20 was raised. In the evening a special song service was given that was enjoyed by all. Rev. Cunningham and wife sang a duet and there was special music by Leatha and Lucile Lawson, as well as others.

G. H. Null entered the St. Francis hospital last Thursday for X-ray examination and treatment. Mr. Null has been quite sick for some time. An examination revealed the presence of adhesions due to an operation performed more than twenty years ago. He returned home Sunday. It is expected his recovery will be rapid since the difficulty has been located.

The following Masonic brethern from this neighborhood were assisting in third degree work at Pickering last Tuesday evening: B. S. Cox, Arta Craven, Wilbur Cox, John Green and W. i. Lewis.

Quite a number from around here attended a road meeting at Orrsburg last Tuesday evening. Plans are being perfected to put the main north and south road in good condition.

B. K. Lewis and family visited friends at Skidmore last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Casteel and daughter, Patsy Faye, attended church at Harmony last Sunday morning.

Plans are being made to have a vacation Bible School to run about one month some time during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Halley Ford and Miss Dorris McsKee were guests at an elegant 6 o'clock dinner at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Flanary Friday evening of last week.

Miss Ogle McKee, while driving a Ford runabout was run into and the car sustained severe damages at the intersection of Fourth and Buchanan streets last Saturday afternoon. Fortunately she escapted with very slight injuries.

Howard Garrett from Clearmont was a Sunday visitor at the home of his brother, Ned Garrett near Orrsburg. He is in the lumber business at Clearmont.

The following shippers had a car of hogs on the St. Joseph market last Thursday: John Green, Alfred Hunt, and B. S. Cox. They report very satisfactory market conditions.

Mrs. Maud Hunt, who has been quite ill the past week, is reported improved.

Rev. E. [illegible] and Ida Cunningham were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Cox.

School Notes

Arthur Hunt and Byrd Edwards were callers at the High School Wednesday of last week.

The second hot bed, a project by the Agriculture class, is now completed and about ready for planting.

Play between Speed Demons and Whirlwinds is an every day affair now on the Basketball court.

Our second annual elocutionary contest will be held at the church Thursday evening, April 7.

Practice on the music which the chorus will sing at the Spring Contest is a daily occurrence, with Rev. Cunningham as director. They are rapidly rounding into shape under his careful supervision.

Our school will enter the contest at Palmer College at Albany next month with a girls quartet and perhaps one entrant in piano contest.

Coach Ford has started track work in preparation for both the county meet at Burlington Junction and the Spring meet at S. T. C.

Now its marbles. That's all right boys, but never, never, play for keeps.

Mr. Wagner from Maryville called at the High School building Monday evening.

Preliminaries now have the right of way in the Ward schools.

WHITECLOUD

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Orville McMillen March 22, a son.

Farmers are beginning to work in the fields, some oats are being sowed.

Ross Garten will work for Nick McCleave through the summer months, commencing April 1.

There was no school the last two days of last week owing to the sickness of Ray Dowling, the teacher's father. Mr. Dowling was in a very critical condition for several days, but at the present he seems to be improving and school work was resumed Monday morning.

Nick Thull went to Maryville Monday afternoon to assist in cleaning the St. Mary's cemetery. His parents are buried there.

Miss Inez Wiseman has been assisting with the house work in the Orville McMillen home.

Mrs. Joe Ulmer was quite ill with a troat trouble last week.

Miss Pauline Ringold visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ase Ringold over the week-end.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 6,000; market steady to 15c lower.

Top, $11.10; bulk, $10.10 to $11.

Cattle

Receipts 3,000; market, slow, steady to weak.

Bulk of steers, $8.75 to $11.

Cows and heifers, $4 to $9.50.

Calves, $5 to $11.

Stockers and feeders, $7.50 to $9.

Sheep.

Receipts 5,500; market steady; lambs tendency lower.

Lambs, $15 to $15.75.

Ewes, $8.50 to $.25.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 14,000; market, light hogs active and strong, others generally steady.

Cattle.

Receipts 5,500, including 2,000 calves; market, steers strong, vealers 50c lower, others steady.

Sheep.

Receipts 750; market, fat lambs slow, undertone weak.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 12,000; market steady to 10c lower.

Cattle.

Receipts 7,000; market, beef steers and yearlings steady to 15c higher; bulls steady; vealers and calves steady to strong.

Sheep.

Receipts 9,500; market, lambs steady to weak.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 10,000; market, light hogs and pigs 10c to 15c lower; butchers steady.

Cattle.

Receipts, 11,000, including 2,000 calves; killing classes steady to strong; stockers and feeders scarce and steady.

Sheep.

Receipts 12,000; fat lambs slow, a few sales to packers around steady.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

Hogs.

Receipts 8,500; market steady to 10c lower; bulk, $10.15 to $11.15; heavies, $10 to $10.40; butchers, 10.20 to $11.25; lights, $11.20 to $11.60; pigs, $11.50 to $12.50.

Cattle

Receipts 6,500; market firm; prime fed steers, $11.75 to $13; dressed beef steers, $8.50 to $11.75; western steers, $8.50 to $12.25; southern steers, $7.75 to $10.50; stockers and feeders, $7.50 to $10; cows, $4 to $8.25; heifers, $6.25 to $11; bulls, $5.50 to $6.75; calves, $6 to $11.

Sheep.

Receipts 4,000, market steady; spring lambs, $14.25 to $15.75; yearlings, $11 to $12; ewes, $8.50 to $9.75; wethers, $9.50 to $10.50; stockers and feeders, $13.75 to $14.75.

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.34½.
OATS—No. 2 white, 47c.
HAY—Timothy, $4.50 to $5.25; clover, $29.25 to $36.
BARLEY—69c to 76c.

Chicago Grain Table.

Wheat—Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
May 1.34½	1.34⅞	1.33⅝	1.33¾	1.34½
July 1.29⅜	1.29½	1.28⅝	1.28⅝	1.29⅛
Sept. 1.27½	1.27⅝	1.26¾	1.26⅞	1.27¼
CORN—				
May .72½	.72¾	.72	.72⅛	.72⅜
July .77½	.77⅝	.76⅝	.76⅞	.77¼
Sept. .80⅜	.80¾	.79⅞	.80	.80¼

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

WHEAT—Receipts 56 cars; market for both hard and red, unchanged to ½c lower; No. 2 hard, $1.27 to $1.34; No. 3 hard, $1.26½ to $1.34; No. 2 red, $1.26 to $1.27; No. 3 red, $1.25 to $1.26.

CORN—Receipts 13 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 69c to 72c; No. 3 mixed, 65c to 69½c; No. 2 yellow, 73c to 75½c; No. 3 yellow, 71½c to 73½c; No. 2 white, 70c to 71½c.

OATS—Receipts 3 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 white, 46½c to 48½c.

RYE—No. 2, 93½c; to 94½c.

BARLEY—No. 3, 77c to 78c.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $14 to $15; timothy, No. 1, $15 to $15.50; alfalfa, choice, $21 to $24.

Eggs, 21½c; selected, 26½c; butter, 52c; packing, 22c; hens, 24½c; turkeys and young toms, 30c; broilers, 36c; ducks, 24c; geese, 14c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, March 30.—Trade in wheat was again very quiet with the range of prices narrow on the Chicago board of trade today. Prices were steady to a little higher at the opening, but the strong Liverpool cables did not bring in much buying and the market settled back to around the previous close. The cash market was unchanged to ½c lower.

Corn failed to show much life and lost fractionally on the day. The cash market was ½c higher.

Oats were under moderate pressure and declined fractionally. The cash market was ½c lower.

Provisions were firm.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Eggs, per dozen	19c
Cream, per lb.	45c
Hens, per lb.	18c
Leghorn, hens, per lb.	17c
1927 Springs, per lb.	36c
Geese, per lb.	8c
Roosters, per lb.	12c
Hides, per lb	6c
Ducks, per lb.	10c

Airplanes Employed for Walrus Hunting

Leningrad, March 30.—Airplanes have been pressed into service to assist the walrus hunters who are now at work in the white sea. The planes are sent out each day to scout for the walrus and to direct the hunters. The hides and fats of the sea animals are very valuable and the early spring walrus hunts are well-organized commercial undertakings.

YOUR SCORE.

Answers to the Brain Teasers on Page 1. Grade of 60 is good.

Answers.

1. The Japanese.
2. O. Henry.
3. Field Marshal von Hindenburg, now president of Germany.
4. 319,075,132.
5. China, Russia and Germany.
6. Johannesburg.
7. Gaston Doumergue.
8. Earl Kitchener, Secretary of State for War.
9. Halley's Comet.
10. Jacob Gould Schurman.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: Rich Man—Poor Man

SAY, SANDY- I'VE JUST BEEN LEARNIN THINGS- DIDJA KNOW THAT MR. FLINT IS A BANKER? YES SIR- HE OWNS A WHOLE BANK ALL OF HIS OWN- THINK O' THAT-
HE SURE MUST BE A RICH MAN- BUT YUH'D NEVER GUESS IT- HASN'T EVEN GOT A CAR- AND THIS HOUSE IS AWFUL OLD AND THERE ISN'T ANY SWELL FURNITURE OR ANYTHING-
AND MRS. FLINT DOES ALL HER OWN WORK- THEY NEVER EVEN SEEM TO THINK O' KEEPIN' SERVANTS- SORTA FUNNY IN A WAY IF HE IS REALLY RICH-
MAYBE JUST 'CAUSE A GUY IS A BANKER DOESN'T MEAN HE ALWAYS HAS A LOT O' MONEY AFTER ALL- OR MAYBE HE KEEPS IT ALL IN TH' BANK AN' NEVER SPENDS ANY OF IT- BUT I'D SURE LIKE TO FIGGER THIS THING OUT- SOMETHIN FUNNY 'BOUT IT SOMEWHERE- YOU'LL SEE-
HAROLD GRAY

Jury Finds for Brown in French Carter Suit

Defendant Had Agreement to Rent Land for Another Year. Justice Court Finds.

A jury in the justice of peace court of Judge J. H. Sayler yesterday afternoon found for the defendant in the case of French Carter against Lloyd Brown.

The jury was out about five minutes in determining that Brown had renewed an agreement with Carter to rent his land this year.

The plaintiff brough suit on the grounds that no agreement had been made for Brown to continue as tenant on his land, located four miles west of Wilcox, and he was suing to get possession of his land, $100 alleged damages and rent at $65.67 a month.

Judge Sayler was appointed as justice of the peace to succeed the late Judge Warren L. Johnson early last August, and this was the first jury case tried before him out of ninety-four cases of all descriptions brought in his court.

As justice of the peace he has united twenty-one couples in marriage and handled eleven cases as police judge. His appointment as police judge was made last September.

250 Here for Eastern Star District Meeting

State Officers Are Conducting Lodge of Instruction—County Is Well Represented.

About two hundred and fifty members of the Order of the Eastern Star in this county today assembled in the lodge room of the Masonic Temple for a lodge of instruction.

The instruction is for the seventh district of the state, comprising twelve lodges in Nodaway County.

Two state officers, Miss Nell Page of Canton, grand lecturer, and Mrs. Adelle Wissmath of St. Louis, worthy grand matron, were conducting the lodge of instruction.

A dinner will be served at 6 o'clock this evening at the Masonic Temple by Rosanna chapter of Maryville.

Work will be exemplified this evening by the Hopkins chapter.

Y. M. Gives Program at Hi-Y Club Meeting

The Y. M. C. A. of the State Teachers College, in keeping with an annual custom, gave the program this morning at the meeting of the Hi-Y Club meeting of the Maryville High School. Leland Medsker, president of the "Y," gave a report of an address last week at the "Y" meeting in Warrensburg, which dealt with the depth and breadth of life. The speaker urged depth as the lacking element in less serious lives. "They get all that is on the surface and remain blind to the things that only the individual working through God can find," he said.

F. G. Tebow led in the singing and Gerald Carroll read the scripture and gave the invocation. Homer Needles was an additional guest.

An invitation was extended to the Hi-Y to appear at one of the Y. M. C. A. meetings at the College in the near future.

Girl Scouts Sponsor Movie.

"The Nervous Wreck," a Christie comedy, will be presented at the Missouri Theater Thursday and Friday nights under the auspices of the Girl Scouts.

Sell Pickering Lots

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Wiley have transferred title of lots 7, 8, 9, and 10, block one Wallis' addition to Pickering to Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Fine for $1 consideration, according to a warranty deed filed this afternoon.

Missouri Entry Loses in National Tourney

Chicago, March 30.—Missouri's entry, Northeast High School of Kansas City, was defeated 21 to 17 by Dover, Ohio, last night here in the first round of the National Interscholastic basketball tournament.

Northeast was ahead 15 to 14 at the end of the third quarter but was unable to locate the rim in the last quarter.

Party Lines Disregarded

(Continued from Page 1).

Mrs. Phoebe Mow, Republican, likewise was snowed under in Jackson township, receiving but 136 votes to 369 for C. L. Uht, Democrat. They were candidates for collector.

Miss Olga Lee Rodman, Democrat, seeking the office of collector in Green Township, ran A. C. Parshall, Republican, a close race, but lost by three votes, 206 to 209.

Lincoln township had an independent ticket in the field but it failed to get very far. J. C. Piper, independent candidate for re-election as justice of the peace, and C. S. Abbott, running independently for constable, both were defeated by large margins.

Monroe township had both a citizen's and an independent ticket. The citizens' ticket was selected at a mass meeting of both Democrats and Republicans, while the same candidates appeared on the independent ticket except for assessor, for which Fred Shell, on the citizens' ticket, won re-election over M. O. Stovall, independent, by 36 votes.

In Jefferson township, where there was only one ticket, there was some opposition to the candidates for trustee and constable. The name of Charles Teson was written in twenty times for trustee, as compared to 202 votes for O. R. Proctor, and Dale Whitehead received 31 similar votes to 188 for Gabe Purcell, present constable.

The closest race of all was in Green township, where Hugh D. McDonald was defeated by one vote by Carl A. Johnson for trustee. The vote was 208 to 207.

Lincoln Township.

The Democrats won a majority of the offices in Lincoln township yesterday. Mrs. Murrel Williamson, Democrat, for collector, defeated Opal Bloomfield by 62 votes. J. C. Piper, independent, for justice of peace, was defeated, receiving 148 votes. C. S. Abbott for constable on the independent ticket received no votes. The vote follows:

TRUSTEE—
Z. R. Alexander, (D)—355.
Howard Younger, (R)—217.
COLLECTOR—
Mrs. Murrel Williamson, (D)—317.
Miss Opal Bloomfield, (R)—255.
ASSESSOR—
Edgar Lamb, (D)—305.
J. L. Russell, (R)—265.
TOWNSHIP BOARD—
A. A. Campbell, (D)—270.
Ed Graham, (D)—292.
E. M. Adkins, (R)—295.
E. K. Bailey, (R)—267.
JUSTICE OF PEACE—
W. W. Whittington, (R)—301.
Leonard Yaple, (R)—314.
J. W. McClaren, (R)—290.
J. C. Piper, (Ind.)—148.
CONSTABLE—
O. V. Knuckolls, (D)—324.
D. D. Hutchings, (R)—227.
C. S. Abbott, (Ind.)—0.

Monroe Township.

There was only one contest in the election yesterday in Monroe. Fred Shell on the citizens ticket won over M. O. Stovall for assessor by 36 votes. There were 293 votes cast. The vote:

TRUSTEE—
John McMahon—292.
TOWNSHIP BOARD:
Alex Wells—293.
Eph Medsker—292.
ASSESSOR—*
Fred Shell, (Citizens)—163.
M. D. Stovall, (Ind.)—127.
COLLECTOR—Charles Geyer—291.
CONSTABLE—
Clyde Barrett—292.
JUSTICE OF PEACE—
Albert Johnson—187.
A. F. Hitchcock—188.

Washington.

The Democrats captured all of the offices in Washington township except constable, which W. T. McCoppin won by five votes. The total vote cast was 357, unusually heavy for a Washington township election. The vote:

COLLECTOR—
Oscar Anderson, (R)—158.
J. C. Barnes, (D)—201.
ASSESSOR—
James H. Carver, (R)—175.
Walter Giffin, (D)—187.
TRUSTEE—
J. Joe Oliver, (R)—144.
Bert Rimel, (D)—218.
CONSTABLE—
W. T. McCoppin, (R)—183.
C. M. Noland, (D)—178.
TOWNSHIP BOARD—
Andrew Nelson, (R)—130.
R. L. Carter, (R)—180.
James Brady, (D)—186.
J. L. Hocker, (D)—225.
JUSTICE OF PEACE: (2)—
C. C. Reynolds, (R)—154.
Erma Weatherman, (R)—158.
W. F. Davies, (D)—195.
John Roberts, (D)—181.

Atchison Township.

Republicans were elected to all of the offices excepting justices of peace. Mrs. Golda Smith for collector was defeated by Elmer Matlock by 167 votes. The vote:

TRUSTEE—
Jess Baker, (D)—173.
Manning Rose, (R)—235.
COLLECTOR—
Mrs. Golda Smith, (D)—120.
Elmer Matlock, (R)—287.
ASSESSOR—
Rolla Cable, (D)—152.
Eldon Milbank, (R)—252.
TOWNSHIP BOARD—
Pole Swaney, (D)—184.
Glen Gate, (D)—157.
Amos Hays, (R)—214.
Eph Johnson, (R)—234.
JUSTICE OF PEACE—
Perry Farrens, (D)—179.
John Gohn, (D)—171.
CONSTABLE—
D. A. Wallace, (D)—193.
William Crigger, (R)—214.

Hughes Township.

The Republicans captured all of the offices in Hughes. The total vote cast was 436. The vote:

COLLECTOR—
Dale Acklin, (D)—186.
Lewis Lawson, (R)—246.
TRUSTEE—
L. K. Russell, (D)—174.
E. A. Morgan, (R)—259.
ASSESSOR—
E. S. Lockhart, (D)—138.
C. A. Hatfield, (R)—288.
TOWNSHIP BOARD—
Edgar D. Elliott, (D)—173.
Dean Shull, (D)—186.
W. S. Ellsworth, (R)—225.
John Neil, (R)—260.
JUSTICE OF PEACE—
W. O. Stiverson, (D)—170.
L. D. Bose, (R)—234.
H. B. Barrett, (R)—241.
CONSTABLE—
J. E. Black, (D)—148.
Frank Burchett, (R)—285.

Nodaway Township.

James Weable, Democrat, was elected collector over Mrs. Mary Coile by 50 votes in Nodaway township. The other offices were captured by Republicans. The total vote cast was 556. The vote:

TRUSTEE—
Sam Webb, (D)—186.
William Bush, (R)—353.
COLLECTOR—
James Weable, (D)—298.
Mrs. Mary Coile, (R)—248.
ASSESSOR—
Alvin Reavis, (D)—150.
James Greenelsh, (R)—399.
TOWNSHIP BOARD—
John Blackford, (D)—190.
Ralph Yates, (D)—203.
Ed Van Pelt, (R)—347.
Cyrus Cole, (R)—350.
JUSTICE OF PEACE—
Knox Alexander, (D)—250.
CONSTABLE—
George Yates, (D)—184.
Frank Thompson, (R)—358.

Green Township.

The election in Green township was close, Carl A. Johnson for trustee winning by one vote and A. C. Parshall for collector by three votes. The total vote cast was 416. The vote:

TRUSTEE—
Hugh D. McDonald, (D)—207.
Carl A. Johnson, (R)—208.
COLLECTOR—
Miss Olga Lee Rodman, (D)—206.
A. C. Parshall, (R)—209.
ASSESSOR—
J. M. Palmer, (D)—244.
H. L. Bailey, (R)—169.
TOWNSHIP BOARD: (2)—
William Taylor, (D)—221.
James Hedrick, (D)—214.
Charles Ross, (R)—198.
Lee D. Hankin, (R)—175.
JUSTICE OF PEACE—
*J. E. Williams, (R).
*W. F. Branson, (R).
*No opposition.
CONSTABLE—
C. A. Morton, (R)—231.

Hopkins Township.

The Republicans elected their entire ticket in Hopkins yesterday. The vote:

TRUSTEE—
George Ulmer, jr., (R)—182.
Fred B. Monroe, (D)—92.
COLLECTOR—
Ed Corwin, (R)—178.
Jim Lewis, (D)—98.
ASSESSOR—
Dr. W. N. Henson, (R)—168.
Fred Yeomans, (D)—106.
TOWNSHIP BOARD—
Frank Miller, (R)—190.
Glen Gordon, (R)—211.
Elmer Hutcherson, (D)—80.
JUSTICE OF PEACE: (2)—
Henry H. Wray, (R)—189.
James R. George, (R)—203.
CONSTABLE—
Riley Thompson, (R)—207.

Union Township.

The Republicans captured trustee, collector, and a member of the township board in Union township, while the Democrats took assessor, constable and the other township board member. There were many scratches on practically all of the tickets. The total vote cast was 330. The vote follows:

TRUSTEE—
Albert Simmons, (D)—162.
David Robb, (R)—178.
COLECTOR—
Lester Hood, (D)—144.
Ward Gray, (R)—197.
ASSESSOR—
Emmett Gray, (D)—192.
S. H. Kemp, (R)—149.
TOWNSHIP BOARD—
Edmund Harvey, (D)—173.
Harry Scott, (D)—174.
Sherman Whaley, (R)—178.
M. E. Torrey, (R)—157.
CONSTABLE—
W. G. Hewitt, (R)—157.
Millard Fakes, (D)—181.

Independence Township.

The Democrats elected trustee, assessor, a member of the township board, constable, and a justice of peace in Independence. Judge George Hepburn, formerly a member of the county court, was elected assessor. The vote:

TRUSTEE—
Leroy Nigh, (D)—225.
Earl Nally, (R)—201.
COLLECTOR—
Marion Pope, (D)—139.
W. I. Burns, (R)—288.
ASSESSOR—
George Hepburn, (D)—221.
Joe Bird, (R)—208.
TOWNSHIP BOARD—
Albert Wilson, (D)—189.
John Hovenkotter, (D)—264.
Truman Young, (R)—225.
Lloyd Reddick, (R)—172.
CONSTABLE—
Simon Dixon, (D)—264.
Jim Griffey, (R)—174.
JUSTICE OF PEACE: (2)—
Ed Gaynor, (D)—243.
John Cooper, (R)—184.
W. E. Johnson, (D)—209.
Frank Edwards, (R)—217.

Jackson Township.

The Democrats elected collector, assesor and constable in Jackson. Mrs. Phoebe Mow, Republican candidate for collector was defeated by C. L. Uht, Democrat, by 263 votes. The Republicans won trustee and both township board members. The vote:

TRUSTEE—
R. D. Holman, (D)—189.
C. A. Shunk, (R)—321.
TOWNSHIP BOARD—
W. W. Burch, (D)—213.
Frank Powell, (D)—237.
R. F. Wells, (R)—296.
Ed Spoonamore, (R)—268.
ASSESSOR—
W. R. Millsap, (D)—334.
L. A. Joy, (R)—170.
COLLECTOR—
C. L. Uht, (D)—369.
Mrs. Phebe Mow, (R)—136.
JUSTICE OF PEACE: (2)—
F. H. Casteel, (D)—251.
Joe Stuart, (D)—228.
Newton Long, (R)—268.
Joseph Powell, (R)—266.
CONSTABLE—
Lucius Slagle, (D)—259.
Grant J. Gates, (R)—252.

Grant Township.

The Republicans captured most of the township offices in the election yesterday in Grant township. Al Blagg was re-elected assessor over Charles Eaton by 171 votes while Frankie Lincoln for collector won over Arden Swinford by 77 votes. Ottie Burns won for trustee over A. D. Reardon, Democrat, by 3 votes. John F. Tulloch for justice of peace and John Rasco for constable had no opposition. The vote follows:

	So.	No.	Tl.
TRUSTEE—			
Ottie Burns, (R)—	212	33	245
A. D. Reardon, (D)—	195	47	242
ASSESSOR—			
Charles Eaton, (R)—	143	16	159
Al Blagg, (D)—	267	63	330
COLLECTOR—			
Frankie Lincoln, (R)—276		7	283
Arden Swinford, (D)—133		73	206
TOWNSHIP BOARD—			
Bert Hubble, (R)—	238	29	267
Eddie Hagan, (R)—	234	12	246
Henry Lutzen, (D)—	151	74	225
Wayne Davidson, (R)—189		34	223
JUSTICE OF PEACE—			
John Tulloch, no opposition.			
CONSTABLE—			
John Rasco, no opposition.			

Jefferson Township.

Only one ticket was up in Jefferson township at yesterday's election. Charles Teson received 20 votes for trustee at Conception Junction and Dale Whitehead for constable got 31 votes in the same precinct. The vote in Jefferson follows:

	NW	NE	S	Tl.
TRUSTEE—				
O. R. Proctor, (D)—	130	38	34	202
Charles Teson—	20	0	0	20
COLLECTOR—				
Mrs. Rosetta Klaas, (D)—153		38	34	225
ASSESSOR—				
Joseph Lager, (D)—	153	38	34	225
TOWNSHIP BOARD—				
Clem Meyer, (D)—	150	38	34	222
C. F. Farnon, (D)—	152	38	34	224
JUSTICE OF PEACE—				
P. R. Frowney, (D)—	143	38	34	215
Frank Holtman, (D)—	145	38	34	217
CONSTABLE—				
Gabe Purcell, (D)—	116	38	34	188
Dale Whitehead—	31	0	0	31

White Cloud Township.

The Republicans captured all of the offices except collector, J. O. Bolin being re-elected by 90 votes over Mrs. Vern Williams. The vote:

	N.	S.	Tl.
TRUSTEE—			
T. M. Jones, (D)—	99	59	158
B. N. Hosher, (R)—	102	138	240
COLLECTOR—			
J. O. Bolin, (D)—	110	134	244
Mrs. Vern Williams, (R)—	90	64	154
ASSESSOR—			
Ova C. Goff, (D)—	65	95	160
Chester Davison, (R)—	136	103	246
TOWNSHIP BOARD, NORTH—			
R. M. Evans, (D)—	84	99	183
Verne Manley, (R)—	119	93	212
TOWNSHIP BOARD, SOUTH—			
Pearl Jackson, (D)—	76	97	173
Will Turner, (R)—	125	107	232
JUSTICE OF PEACE—			
Dwight Swinford, (D)—	71	90	161
W. A. Shinabargar, (R)—	128	106	234
CONSTABLE—			
Will Brackin, (R)—	134	111	245

He Wed Charlie and Lita in This Little Mexican Shack

Judge Ignacio Haro, Mexican justice of the peace, finally submits to the camera he so studiously evaded after marrying the eloping Charlie Chaplin and Lita Gray in his home at Empalme, Sonora, Mexico. Here is the judge and his humble abode. Undoubtedly, they will come in for frequent mention at the forthcoming trial of Mrs. Chaplin's divorce suit.

TO THE VOTERS

Wish to thank each and every one for their support in the township election for trustee.

Elmer Young.

The Missouri Theatre

Admission 10c—25c—35c Shows 7:30 and 9:00.

Last Time Tonight—

"An Affair of the Follies"

A First National Picture.

Billie Dove, Lewis Stone and Lloyd Hughes. Three big stars in one show. He was a man of "Afafirs," but he went bankrupt in love after his greatest "Folly." See 52 chorus dancers in one act. See this startling heart story of the after-the-show life of a chorus beauty! Also Pathe-Sennet — "Small Town Princess." Aesop's Fables and Organ.

Song Slide—"Blue Bird." A real good show.

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Al Christie's latest laugh spasm—

"THE NERVOUS WRECK"

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ELECTRIC THEATRE

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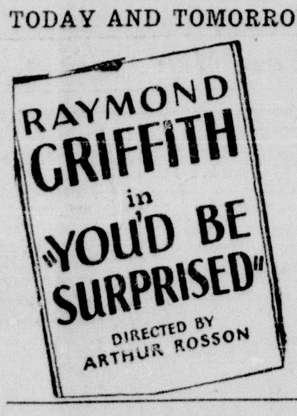

The high hat comedy king. The alert Johnny-on-the-spot kid who fools the wise guys and wins the girl. Griffith used exactly nine dress suits in making this picture! There will be a surprise for you.

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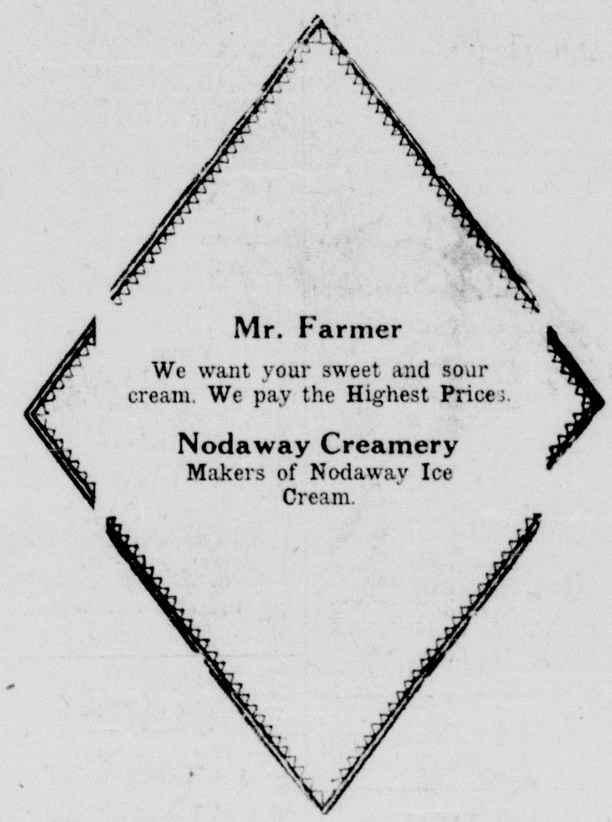

Armstrong's Linoleum

for Every Floor in the House

Hear Ye! Don't miss the Town Crier Lantern Display in our window this week.

A Different kind of low priced floor

..on display in our window now

This week when you're down town, be sure to see our Town Crier Lantern Display. It's full of the newest things in floors, including Armstrong's Arabesq . . . the charming new-type linoleum illustrated above.

In this floor ,the decorations are applied in heavy oil paints on a real linoleum back. The effect is that of an inlaid floor, but you seldom see an inlaid floor marked so temptingly low.

Are you re-doing a bedroom this spring? A living room or dining room? A kitchen? In our window you'll find designs in Armstrong's Linoleum for every floor in the house.

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